

Analysis

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terprets Today's News  
From War Zones

Sweden's part in the Russo-Finnish "peace" talk strikes me as an anxious effort to escape the pressure which comes on one hand from the growing tendency of the Anglo-French allies to intervene in the conflict, and on the other from German threats of reprisals for abandonment of neutrality.

Allied intervention certainly would drag unwilling Sweden and Norway into the upheaval, against both the Reds and Germany—an eventuality which the two neutrals have been trying desperately to avoid.

This sudden development probably runs counter to allied projects for rescuing the Finns and at the same time opening up a new northern front against Herr Hitler. If successful, the peace-bid will greatly alter the course of the European crisis.

Indeed, should the Finns be compelled to accept a conqueror's terms, thereby giving Russia and Germany control of northern Europe, it obviously would represent a serious setback to the allies.

Not only would it deprive England and France of an opportunity to strike at Hitler from the north, but it would make available to the nazis the Russian supplies which now are flowing into the Finnish invasion. Such an outcome also would tend to swing the Balkans back toward Germany.

There are indications, however, that Sweden is active with the acquiescence of England and France, perhaps forsooth because the two powers had no feasible alternative. And perhaps because they feel that the Finns are likely to reject the terms and that a favorable solution may develop ultimately for the allied cause.

Unconfirmed reports of bolshevist terms make it look tough for little Finland.

The Muscovites are said to be demanding surrender of the Karelian isthmus across which runs the now-famous Mannerheim, great Lake Ladoga, the strategic railway center of Viipuri, the powerful naval port of Hanko in southeastern Finland, the entire peninsula upon which Hanko

Contest in Will  
of Ashton Woman  
Appears Likely

The will of the late Elizabeth C. Wagner of Ashton, who died in Rochelle Jan. 27th, was admitted to probate by Judge Grover Gehant in County court today, and indications pointed to a contest in Circuit court. The inventory lists personal property valued at \$9,380.65 and real estate valued at \$3,000, and the heirs named are: Ervin W. Wagner, Mary Nass, Mary Jane Wagner, Ruth Reed of Ashton, Esther Nass of Rockford, the Evangelical church of Ashton, the Evangelical Sunday school of Ashton by Joy W. Sandrock, superintendent, Maybelle Wagner and Jacob J. Wagner, also of Ashton.

In the will the dwelling house and adjacent lands located in Ashton are bequeathed to a sister, Mary Nass, who is given a life interest. The remainder of the estate is awarded the son Ervin W. Wagner and upon his decease to his heirs. Ruth Reed, a niece is bequeathed silver knives, forks, spoons, gravy ladies and the best cream pitcher and sugar bowl and the beset complete set of dishes. A brass bed, quilts, comforters and pillow cases are left to a niece, Esther Nass.

Accused Prosecutor in  
Detroit Suspended Today  
by Order of Governor

Detroit, March 8.—(AP)—Gov. Luren D. Dickinson today suspended Duncan C. McCrea, Wayne county (Detroit) prosecutor, who has been indicted on gambling conspiracy charges.

The governor accused the prosecutor, whose preliminary hearing on the indictment now is in progress, of "embarrassing and hindering the administration of justice" in Wayne county.

Formal ouster proceedings already have been ordered against McCrea by Dickinson. Today's executive order, effective immediately, empowers State Attorney General Thomas Read "to assume full charge of the office of prosecuting attorney of Wayne county," until determination of the ouster proceedings.

McCrea, at his arraignment on the conspiracy indictment before Circuit Judge Homer Ferguson, who has been sitting as a one-man grand jury investigating gambling and allegations of police connivance, has asserted his right to appear as prosecutor as well as defendant.

At yesterday's session of arraignment, John Sidick, who identified himself as a former partner in a \$1,000,000-a-year baseball lottery, testified that since 1935 "the law" had been paid \$57,500 a year out of the lottery profits.

Brazil to Pay Up  
Rio de Janeiro, March 8.—(AP)—Brazil has agreed to resume payment on its foreign debt, Finance Minister Arthur de Souza Costa announced today. He added the terms would be announced tomorrow simultaneously in Washington, Paris and London.

Lenten Speaker



The concluding service in the series of Sunday evening Union Lenten services will be held this Sunday night at the First Presbyterian church, E. Third street at Galena avenue. The Rev. R. W. Ford, (above) pastor of the Dixon Christian church will preach the sermon. The subject will be "A Standard of Value." Music will be furnished by the Presbyterian choir under the direction of Miss Naomi Woll. These services have been sponsored by the Christian, Episcopal, Lutheran, Methodist and Presbyterian churches. An invitation is extended to all who are not affiliated with churches having denominational services at this hour.

127 Officials of  
Northern Illinois  
Cities Meet Here

A conference of municipal officers from the northwest group of Illinois counties forming regional district No. 10 of the Illinois Municipal League at the city hall in Dixon last evening was attended by 127 officials, the meeting being the largest which has been held in Illinois this winter. The purpose of the conference was the discussion of municipal problems which confront towns, cities and villages of this section of the state and to outline some form of relief for these conditions through the Illinois Municipal League.

In perfecting the organization, which is to be known as region No. 10, Mayor William V. Slothower of this city was honored with election to the presidency; Alderman Eric Anderson of Rockford, was elected vice president; Mayor Guy Wolfe of Lanark, secretary and treasurer, and City Attorney M. D. Burt of Freeport, Mayor Otto Hudson of Mt. Morris, Mayor F. E. Ashelford of Sycamore, Alderman A. J. Hilmer of Depue and Mayor W. E. Cochran of Sandwich, members of the executive committee.

Mayor Mark Hayes of Bloomington, president of the Illinois Municipal League, and its secretary, A. D. McLarty of Springfield represented that organization. After the address of welcome by Mayor Slothower, President Hayes explained some of the purposes of the league, which has been in existence since 1914 when it was started with but a few members, and today has a membership of more than 700 in more than 1,100 cities, towns and villages in Illinois. Proper legislation for municipalities, was the keynote of President Hayes remarks, and he said "to prevent legislation which is detrimental to all municipalities, large or small, it is necessary to enact legislation that is beneficial and to this end exists the Illinois Municipal League."

Municipalities at Fault  
At each session of the legislature, legislation is presented which, if enacted into law, would take away the power of home rule of municipalities, and if not faced with opposition by the League representatives, would result in a centralized state-controlled government, he warned. The fault

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TREASURE HUNT  
WEDNESDAY EVE  
IN DIXON STORES

Will Be Unusual Feature  
of Annual Spring Opening Festival

Floods of sunshine and March breezes re-awakens in everyone, young and old, a perennial interest in spring styles, which will be shown in Dixon at a special Spring Opening on Wednesday evening, March 13.

The retail trades division of the Chamber of Commerce and 76 participating Dixon merchants are combining their efforts to stage a first-night premier of spring styles which will be long-remembered. Highlighting the festivities will be an exciting Goodwill Treasure hunt, which will afford residents of the Dixon trade area an excellent opportunity for a real look at all the new fashions, patterns, cuts and all the rest that goes toward the delighting of a buying-conscious public.

Disclosure of details of the Treasure hunt will be made by the participating firms, who will be happy to welcome you at your convenience. After obtaining this additional information, everything will be in readiness to proceed with the special "after-hour" store session at 7 o'clock on Wednesday, when all who have secured the necessary "clues" will be invited to join in the fun.

Merchants Optimistic  
During the next few days, merchants will focus their attention on piling their shelves and clothes storage racks high with everything that's new and startling for spring, 1940. Show windows, already bright with the gay colors of spring, will be brightly illuminated for the showing.

The one-day observance of the new fashions and accent on buying will close after the showing Wednesday night, but optimistic business men expect a continuing flow of business long after Easter.

But don't delay! Visit the participating firms, listed below, and be prepared for one of the gayest Spring Openings you've ever experienced.

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Senate Finance  
Committee for  
Trade Treaties

Washington, March 8.—(AP)—The senate rejected today a new effort to kill off legislation expanding the political prohibitions of the Hatch act to cover state employees paid in whole or part with federal funds.

It turned down, 49 to 27, an amendment which Senator Maloney (D-Conn) frankly told the chamber was designed to "destroy" the pending bill offered by Senator Hatch (D-NM).

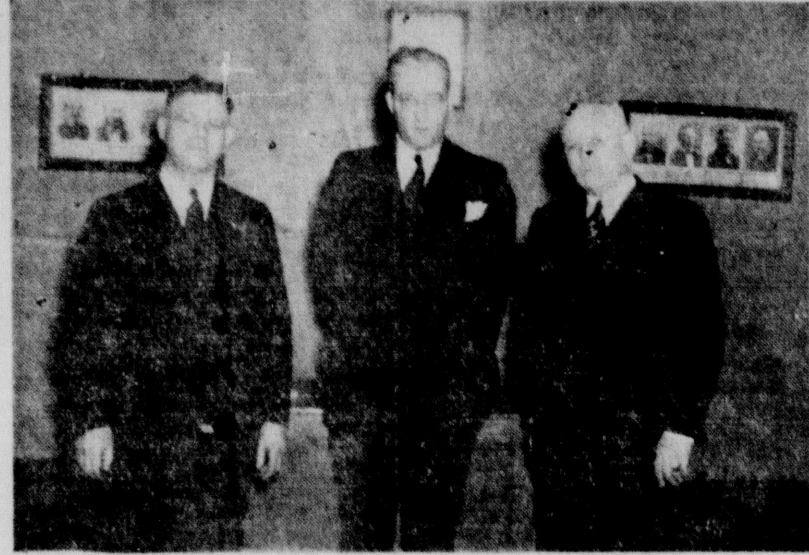
Maloney sought unsuccessfully to strike out the principal section of the act, barring varied political activities by federal-state employees. It was the third principal test vote on which opponents of the measure have met defeat.

Washington, March 8.—(AP)—The senate finance committee voted 12 to 8 today to approve, without amendment, the house-approved legislation to continue the administration's trade agreements program three years beyond next June 12.

The committee's approval cleared the way for senate consideration next week of the controversial measure to renew the state department's expiring authority to make trade pacts in

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Officers of Municipal Group 10



Mayor William V. Slothower, president of the tenth regional district of the Illinois Municipal League, A. D. McLarty of Springfield, state secretary and Mayor Mark Hayes of Bloomington, president of the League, at the meeting last evening at the city hall which was attended by a record gathering of 127 representatives of Northern Illinois municipalities.

—Telegraph Photo

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TO OPEN NEW STORE  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Abt and Mrs. Mary J. Fahrney have moved to 316 West First street in the Mansfield building, where the Abts will open a modern meat market and grocery. The building is now being renovated and redecorated and the fixtures installed. The store will be open for business next Tuesday.

CLEAN STREETS  
Street department employees have spent portions of three days and nights in clearing the ice off streets in the business district. The flusher has been used to wash away dirt that has collected during the winter months and street employees are attempting to clear away the thick ice which has frozen along the curbs.

TWO FIRE ALARMS  
The fire department responded to two alarms this morning. At 8 o'clock the firemen went to the Arthur Teeter home at 1506 First street where a chimney was burning out. There was no damage to the property. At 9:30 the department was called to the Ralph Nicklaus home, 1301 Fourth street where sparks from a chimney started a fire on the roof. The damage was slight and was covered by insurance.

SWITCH TAMPERER  
Police, summoned to the North Western railroad yards last evening at 6:15 o'clock in response to a report that a stranger was tampering with railroad switches, arrested John Ryan of Sterling. This morning he was fined \$10 and costs on a charge of intoxication and disorderly conduct, in default of which, he was remanded to the county jail. Special Agent John Collins of Chicago, was in Dixon today investigating the report.

FOR NELSON POSITION  
The United States Civil Service Commission has announced examinations will be held at Sterling, on a date to be determined later, of applicants for the postmaster position at Nelson, from which M. C. Stitzel was recently retired by age regulations. The announcement states that the compensation of the postmaster at that office for the last fiscal year was \$633.

Brother Left \$1  
When the will was read Jan. 29, it was estimated the estate totaled \$1,000,000. Attorney Wilfred Boyle, however, said later that no definite value can be placed on the property until an inventory is taken.

Miss Houghton, according to terms of the will, is to receive the estate after a few minor bequests have been filled. Benjamin Wiley was given a \$1 bequest in the will. Neither of the nieces was mentioned.

The nieces claim in their objection that they are the next of kin and sole heirs entitled to share in the estate.

Miss Houghton, who is 60 years old, owns farm land in Lee county and a home in Amboy. She visited Wiley at least once a year for many years before his death and corresponded with him frequently.

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Plaintiff State  
Policeman Given  
Chair Assignment

Springfield, Ill., March 8.—(AP)—Sylvester Steskal, the state highway policeman who recently filed suit for an accounting of the defunct Iroquois League's funds, performed his duties today in a chair.

The policeman, who was noticed sitting in the outer office of State Highway Police Chief Walter Williams each day since he returned from his annual vacation Monday, explained:

"I've just been ordered to sit here".

Chief Williams explained: "We're just keeping him sitting".

There was no further elaboration by either the policeman or his chief except that Steskal admitted his present post might be considered in the nature of guarding state police headquarters.

Before he filed suit against the Iroquois League, former Democratic fund raising organization, in which he sought refund of part of the money he alleged he had contributed as a member, Steskal did patrol work and guarded the governor's mansion on occasion.

Ex-Guard Joins Suit  
Meanwhile Henderson B. Gibson, former guard at Joliet prison, asked to join in his demand for an accounting of the funds in an intervening petition on file today in Sangamon county Circuit court.

Gibson's petition said he paid \$35.25 into the defunct Iroquois Illinois League and its successor as the Democratic campaign fund collection agency, the Illinoisans. He said he was assessed two per cent of his monthly paycheck.

The petition asked the court's petition to join in the accounting suit brought by Steskal who accused nine Democratic state officials with fraud in connection with the campaign fund. Circuit Judge L. E. Stone last week granted Steskal's appeal for a temporary injunction to tie up funds held by the Illinoisans and the old Iroquois League pending an accounting.

Gibson's petition was set for hearing March 19. It was filed in his behalf by Attorneys D. Logan Giffin, former Republican state representative, and A. F. Newkirk.

Edmund Burke, attorney for state Finance Director Samuel L. Nudelman and several others of the nine officials named in Steskal's suit, said his clients would appear tomorrow in the office of Steskal's attorney, A. M. Fitzgerald, who asked that they answer questions concerning use of the campaign funds in depositions.

Burke said he had also subpoenaed Steskal to give a deposition in the case.

Barrett Says Illinois  
Attorney General Has  
Failed to Do His Duty

East St. Louis, Ill., March 8.—(Special)—"One of the most serious threats to our American form of government is that our national affairs and most of our state governments are in the hands of New Dealers who have either failed or refused to uphold the constitution," George F. Barrett, Republican candidate for attorney general, said last night at a Republican rally held here in his honor.

"Under new deal rule, even our judiciary has been threatened, and efforts have been made to subjugate it to the executive branch of government," said Barrett, who has been speaking twice daily on his downstate tour this week.

"In Illinois, the Democrats have refused to uphold the constitution and our other laws," he continued. "For instance, the little new deal attorney general ignored his duty to prosecute persons responsible for the 'shaking-down' of state employees by politicians. His alibi, made by inference, was that prosecution must be started by the state's attorneys. This is not true. He has the same authority they have to end such political atrocities, and if I am elected to that office, I will exert that power to the fullest extent of my ability."

TRAGIC END OF SEARCH  
Trenton, N. J., March 8.—(AP)—A four-day search by land, water and air for seven-year-old Dolores Banning ended today with the discovery of her body in Assunpink creek about a mile from her Hamilton township home.

Dr. David Fluck assistant Mercer county physician, ascribed death to drowning after an autopsy disclosed no marks of violence.

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FINNS FIGHT ON  
AS PEACE TALKS  
ARE SPOTLIGHTED

British Say "Possibly" U.  
S. May Be Asked  
To Aid Efforts

Wars In Brief

(By The Associated Press)

Copenhagen—Efforts to settle Russo-Finnish conflict center in Stockholm; Mannerheim, Blucher reported in Swedish capital.

London—United States may be asked to mediate between Russians and Finns, British believe; British fliers scout western Poland; \$2,800,000 credit allotted by treasury for war expenditures in year.

Helsinki—Peace with soviet Russia on excessive terms will be rejected, Finns indicate; fighting continues.

Paris—Vellies meets French political leaders in second day of French talks.

Berlin—Germans assert 11 merchantmen sunk or seriously damaged in two flights of air-raids off British coast.

By The Associated Press  
Peace talk today developed the conflict between Finland and Soviet Russia.

Sweden was in the vortex of the discussions, with Finland's Field Marshal Baron Carl Gustaf Mannerheim and Russia's Marshal Vassily Blucher reported to have arrived in Stockholm.

British said that "possibly" the United States might be invited to further the peace-making efforts.

Finland, staggered by the weight of the Russian forces hammering steadily at her defenses, fought on while her spokesmen indicated rejection could be the only answer to any excessive peace demands by Russia.

The Finnish high command said the Russians, punished anew from land and air, had failed again in attempts to tighten their hold around the seaport of Viipuri through drives across the ice of the Bay of Viipuri.

Attacks over the breadth of the Karelian isthmus likewise were repulsed, it said, while on the eastern front the Russians left about 2,000 dead in an unsuccessful push northeast of Lake Ladoga at Kolianajoki.

Receives No Request  
President Roosevelt, commenting on reports from London that the United States might be invited to mediate the conflict, said no request for such mediation had been received.

Moscow failed to disclose any evidences of a Russian readiness to make peace with Finland.

But former Finnish President Per Eivind Svinhufvud flew to Berlin for a conference with German Foreign Minister Joachim Von Ribbentrop.

Berlin observers interpreted his mission as a final effort to get Adolf Hitler to throw his weight in the balance to get "reasonable" terms by Russia as the only means of averting intervention by the British-French allies.

Sweden figures in this move also as the Swedish minister to

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Bungled Kidnap  
Plot Lands One  
Plotter in Jail

Hollywood, March 8.—(AP)—A curiously-bungled plot to kidnap Judy Garland, 17-year-old singing star of the films, left a 19-year-old transient from Buffalo, N. Y., in jail today.

Officers said Robert Wilson planned, with an accomplice, the midnight abduction, then grew panicky and telephoned police that "Judy Garland will be kidnaped tonight"—the warning which led to his own arrest.

He was booked tentatively on a charge of suspicion of kidnapping. A search for his companion was under way.

Capt. Grover Armstrong said Wilson told him after watching the actress' \$40,000 Bel-Air home for two days and learning that the servants would be off duty Thursday night, he and a friend decided to meet at midnight and break into the house. Becoming frightened, Wilson telephoned police from a Santa Monica hotel that "Judy Garland will be kidnaped tonight."

Police traced the call, and a hotel employee gave such an accurate description of Wilson that the youth was arrested, a block away.

Meanwhile reporters, photographers and 16 policemen had descended upon the Garland home where Judy and her sister, Virginia, in the absence of their mother and step-father, were entertaining six young friends.

"I've never been threatened before," Judy told them, calmly. "I'm sure everything will be all right—but make yourself at home."

While her young guests resumed their dancing and games, Judy dished out ice cream to the visitors. The party ended when Judy's mother, Mrs. Ethel Gumm Gilmore, returned and young Wilson's arrest was disclosed.

Mayors Who Attended Municipal League Meet Here



Mayors of northern Illinois cities attending regional conference of Illinois Municipal League at the Dixon city hall Thursday evening, president of the League, William H. Ventler, Ashton; W. E. Cochran, Sandwich; E. A. Hasse, Depue; A. D. McLarty, Springfield; Samuel H. Feigley, Rock Falls; William V. Slothower, Dixon; Mark E. Hayes, Bloomington; Frank Ashelford, Sycamore; David Butler, Harmon; Charles Brown, Rockford; and Guy Wolf, Lanark.

The Weather

FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1940  
(By The Associated Press)

For Chicago and vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; slightly colder tonight; lowest temperature tonight near 24 degrees; gentle northwesterly winds. Outlook for Sunday: Probably snow, moderate temperature.

Illinois: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; rising temperature in extreme south Saturday.

Wisconsin: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; rising temperature in extreme south Saturday.

Iowa: Partly cloudy tonight; Saturday increasing cloudiness, occasional light rain or snow probable in west and south-central by night; rising temperature in the southwest and south-central Saturday.

LOCAL WEATHER  
For the 24 hours ending at 7 p. m. Thursday: maximum temperature 38; minimum 20; part cloudy.

Rise rises: Saturday at 6:23, Sunday at 6:21.  
Sun sets: Saturday at 6:00, Sunday at 6:01.



# -127 Officials-

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he added, does not lie with the senators and legislators but with the municipalities themselves.

"If the lawmakers at Springfield hear no complaint from the constituents at home, in many cases they consider that bills which have been presented are sound, and they become law. Always remember that it is easier to enact legislation than it is to repeal it, and the time to act is before these bills become laws."

In the series of meetings being conducted throughout the state where regions are being formed, similar to last evening's meeting at the city hall, it was stated that three outstanding issues had appeared for discussion; home rule legislation; home rule over gasoline tax, and interest in local building and zoning ordinances.

Captain Laflin of the Illinois State Planning commission, talked briefly on the subject of city planning and zoning. In recent years, he stated, 150 municipalities in Illinois have adopted zoning ordinances, of which Dixon is one. Cities, towns and villages, he stated, are becoming more conscious of the necessity of enacting zoning ordinances and the courts have taken cognizance of the importance of these measures and are giving them careful consideration.

Secretary McLarty told the group that tax reductions in municipalities had brought about a condition which was burdensome to many communities which are trying to continue to operate under the decreased finances. To halt this practice he advocated that all municipalities in Illinois organize into a single unit for the purpose of protecting local government, which, he warned, "is seriously threatened in the repeated attempts and the tendency

at Springfield to organize a centralized system of municipal government."

**League's Accomplishments**  
Citing some of the accomplishments of the League, Secretary McLarty called attention to the section of the Illinois gas tax law which gives one-third back to the municipalities, as one of the League's successful activities. Illinois, he said, was the first state to return 33 1-3 percent of the state-collected gasoline tax to the communities, and cities in many other states are now struggling to obtain a like amount. He commended the state department of highways in its liberal interpretation of the gas tax law refund to municipalities for improvement purposes. The elimination of sales tax on water supplied by municipally owned plants, was cited as another League accomplishment, which had resulted in a great saving to many communities, while the effort to eliminate sales tax on electric service had not succeeded.

Discussing future legislation under consideration McLarty strongly urged the full power of home rule in the conduct of municipal affairs. The state legislature, he stated, was the most powerful type of government in the United States. The powers of the federal government, he said, were liberally construed while those of municipalities were strictly construed, with the result that municipalities are literally thrown into the laps of the legislators who hold the whole authority of enacting legislation. Many legislators, he pointed out, are elected to office without having any knowledge of the detailed legislation of municipalities. The duty and purpose of the League, he stated, was to acquaint this type of legislator with the problems of municipalities.

**Want Control of Taxes**  
Home rule over the tax rate limitation was another subject of proposed future legislation. The present legislation, he said, was enacted in pre-depression times and has never been changed to meet present day conditions.

Down state cities, towns and villages have not received the consideration of the legislature that

has been accorded Chicago. Secretary McLarty told the officials, in this connection he cited the "pegged" levies which had been made legal in Chicago, but not in down-state municipalities. Home rule over the tax rate, he declared, would settle many municipal problems.

"Members of the Illinois legislature for the most part are fundamentally in favor of keeping the government close to the people and preserve home rule and are opposed to centralized government. They are ready and willing to acquaint themselves with the problems on local government and then consider legislation which would be remedial."

Senator George C. Dixon, former mayor, was called upon to speak from the angle of a lawmaker. He told the officials that he strongly favored the codification of municipal legislation in the Illinois statutes and had succeeded in securing the passage of a bill to bring this about. Laws pertaining to Illinois municipalities, he said, were scattered about in 88 of the 148 lengthy chapters of the Illinois statutes, and a commission of 16 members had been named to codify these laws, which he expected would be ready to report at the next session of the general assembly. Senator Dixon estimated that about ten per cent of the laws pertaining to Illinois municipalities were obsolete, and in the codification, he assured the officials, these obsolete laws would be eliminated and no changes would be made in revision of the Illinois statutes has been made since 1871 he said.

"The members of the general assembly want to serve the municipalities and the people," he stated, "and while many have not had municipal experience, they are fully in sympathy and want to serve the communities. I am greatly in favor of the organization of regional districts by the Illinois Municipal League, such as this gathering, to determine local problems and then suggest legislation which will be beneficial to the municipalities."

During a period of open discussion and suggestions, stress was placed on the subjects of home rule, legislation beneficial to delinquent assessments, and Secretary McLarty informed the officials that a suggestion had been made by a down state legislator that municipalities be permitted to recover 50 per cent of the automobile license fees to be expended on local improvements.

**Rep White Speaks**  
Representative Henry White of Somonauk, was asked to address the officials from the standpoint of the legislator, and said: "As a member of the legislature, I realize fully that we are the servants of the people of Illinois, just as your city officials are representatives of your people in your

communities. Through the excellent program of the Illinois Municipal League, the legislature is informed of the problems of municipalities, and can determine their problems, and any proposed legislation presented, I can assure you receives careful consideration. Through this organization harmonious legislation can be prepared and when properly presented is more certain of passage. The proper presentation is possible through the League organization, whereas, several separate organizations in different sections of the state would not prove satisfactory mediums. I am strongly in favor of the Municipal League's program and regional meetings such as this one are bound to be beneficial."

President Hayes spoke upon the installation of parking meters in that city. The plan, he stated, has proved very successful, both with the citizens and the out of town shoppers. At present, Bloomington is operating 203 meters of the penny and nickel type and the receipts from these in the first four weeks of their operation tallied \$1,140, he added, averaging 24 cents per day per meter. Requests were being received from sections of the city which are not served with meters for additional installation and Mayor Hayes predicted that in a very short time, every city of any size will be served with parking meters.

Annexed territories to municipalities, plumbing ordinances, peddler's license ordinances, and elimination of small places of business just outside of the corporate limits of many cities were among subjects discussed.

President Slothover stated that municipal officials have the best interests of their citizens at heart at all times. Demands upon the officials, he added, are many, and finances are limited, but he urged a program of honest explanation of municipal service to the taxpayer as a means of eliminating unjust criticism.

Mayor Brown of Rockford invited the next regional gathering to that city and it was voted to authorize the executive committee to arrange the date for future meetings, the next of which will be held in Rockford.

## ATTENTION HOUSEWIVES—

Spring cleaning will be made much more attractive if you have a supply of bright colored paper to cover your closet and pantry shelves, dresser drawers, etc. The Dixon Evening Telegraph is prepared to care for your needs and has a complete assortment of colors which come in rolls—priced to sell at a most reasonable figure—from 10 cents to 50 cents per roll.

## Analysis—

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stands, and a slice of territory by Finland's Arctic port of Petsamo. Unless the Finns are utterly despondent of getting outside help in resisting the Red invasion, they aren't likely to accept any such program.

Those terms would place Finland absolutely under the domination of the bolsheviks, so much so that she would virtually be a protectorate.

Further, such sweeping terms would give Russia control of the whole northern wing of the Baltic sea, so that the Red wave of communism would be pounding the shores of Sweden—something of which the Swedes have lived in constant dread. In view of this one wonders whether the terms as reported are correct.

The background of the present situation is this: ever since the Red invasion of Finland, Sweden and Norway have maintained neutrality under threats of reprisals from Germany. The Nazi hand has rested particularly heavy on Sweden, from which Herr Hitler is getting big supplies of iron ore which he needs so badly for prosecution of the war.

The hearts of the two Scandinavian countries have been wholly with Finland, and they have permitted considerable aid to be sent to the hard-pressed Finns. Fear of an attack by Germany, however, has impelled Stockholm to refuse the Anglo-French allies permission to send organized bodies of troops through Sweden to the aid of Finland. This has been the only feasible route.

The allies have tried unavailingly

to persuade the neutrals, including Sweden and Norway, to join them. Despite the impediments there have been many indications that England and France were persisting with the idea of getting organized aid to the Finns. Norway and Sweden have been increasingly fearful that their neutrality would be involved. Now we get the peace move.

## MICHIGAN SEEKS SEVENTH TRACK CROWN IN BIG 10

Chicago, March 8.—(AP)—A new crop of potential record-breakers will be introduced this week end when Michigan goes after its seventh consecutive Western Conference indoor track championship in the University of Chicago fieldhouse.

The Wolverines and practically every other team in the Big Ten field have several sophomores rated as sure point-winners this year and as record-holders within a year or so.

Preliminary competition in the annual jogfight is scheduled to night with finals in 10 events tabbed for Saturday night.

Coach Ken Doherty, successor to Charles Hoyt who left Michigan to go to Yale last fall, will be seeking his first track title with a veteran team buttressed by fine-looking newcomers.

One of his most likely-looking point winners is Will Ackerman, two-miler who is expected to help his teammate, defending Champion Ralph Schwarzkopf, pile up points in the two-mile. Another Michigan sophomore, Don Can-

ham, is the favored entrant in the high jump.

## Other Sophomores

Four other sophomores are given a good chance to share high point honors — Chuck Edwards and Kurt Stark of Illinois, Al Livingston of Ohio State and Don Smith of Northwestern.

One of the conference's most brilliant sophomores is Indiana's Campbell Kane. He has run the mile in 4:19 and has shown promise of doing much better. Minnesota's young miler, Jack Rhodes, also looms as a point winner.

Ralph Hammond's .062 time in the 60-yard dash a few weeks ago tabbed the Ohio State sophomore as a real threat to Northwestern's Myron Piker, junior sprint star and defending titlist. John Turner of Illinois and Iowa's Bill Green are two more possibilities among the younger sprinters.

## May Upset Badger

Don Olson, Illinois hurdler, is given a good chance to upset Wisconsin's veteran, Ed Smith, in the 70-yard event. Bill Benn of Minnesota also rates serious consideration.

In the pole vault Bill Williams of Wisconsin has gone higher than 13 feet, six inches. A per-

formance equal to that of the veteran vaulters.

Michigan, in view of its fine balance and secondary strength, rates again as the team to beat although Indiana and possibly Wisconsin figure to give the Wolverines their closest battle in recent seasons.

## DOMINICAN REPUBLIC MOURNS

Ciudad Trujillo, Dominican Republic, March 8.—(AP)—The nation entered a nine-day mourning period today for President Jacinto B. Peynado, who died last night after a leg amputation that failed to check an infection. He was 62. Vice President Manuel de J. Troncoso de la Concha becomes president.

Avocados contain more fat and more calories than any other fruit.

## Constipated?

"For years I had occasional constipation, awful gas bloating, headaches and back pains. Adlerika always helped right away. Now, I eat sausage, bananas, rice, anything I want. Never felt better." Mrs. Mabel Schott.

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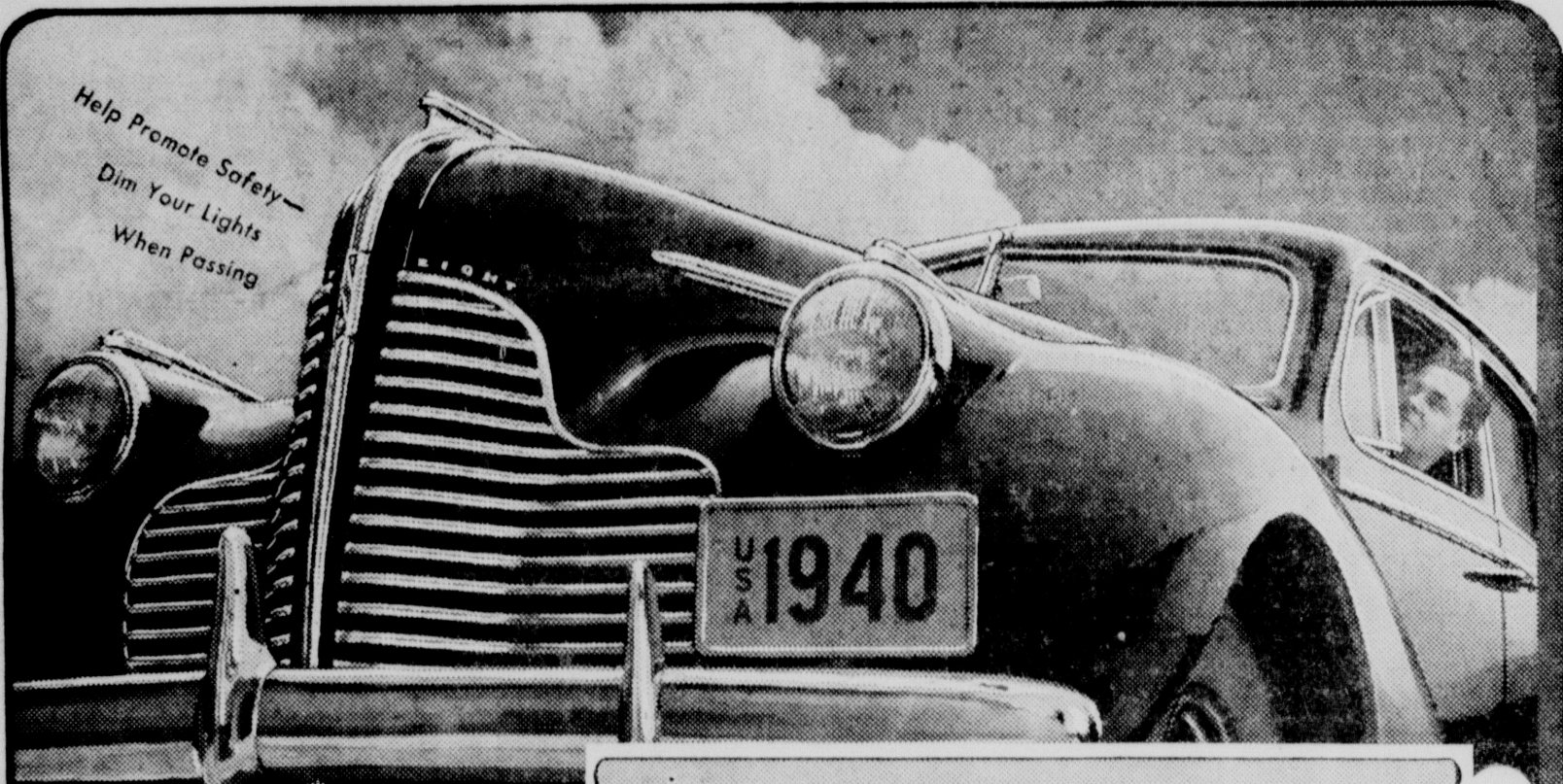
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# Society News

## Travel Club Speaker Tells of Adventures In Greece

A revolution, which she herself inadvertently incited by merely signing her name to one of her own calling cards; a severe earthquake; a wound inflicted by the deadly ochia, (a poisonous adder); and the unsolicited acquisition of a series of fictitious husbands, invented at will by an enterprising muleteer and ranging from Pierpont Morgan to Clark Gable—these and many other amazing experiences in a strange land were related last evening by Miss Ellen du Poy of Chicago for members of the Foreign Travel club, who were guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Lazier of East McKinney street.

"Adventuring Through Greece" was the subject chosen by Miss du Poy, whose varied interests embrace lecturing and writing, as well as travel. Into her story, with all the skill of a fiction writer, (a skill which employs a generous supply of humor), she wove amusing anecdotes and incidents of grim reality; and she made it clear that the author of "One Crystal and a Mother" and "Towers Along the Grass", besides numerous short stories and book reviews, knows how to hold a listener, as well as a reader.

### Reviews Six Years

Speaking with almost staccato-like rapidity, the speaker was able in an hour's time, to give her audience a surprisingly comprehensive review of her six-year residence in Greece. In those six eventful years of odd adventures and unfamiliar scenes, she met

poets, prime ministers, shepherds and priests—as well as muleteers—and the deepest impression she carried away was a clear conception of the simplicity with which Greek statesmen and peasants alike approach life.

Considering this impression the most valuable lesson learned in her many and varied contacts with first one strange personality and then another, the speaker observed: "The Greeks take no chances with time. They live one minute at a time and do not concentrate on being happy some time in the future—they're happy now."

Miss du Poy prefaced a resume of Greek characteristics with a series of personal experiences, including an encounter with the late adventurer and author, Richard Halliburton. She quoted the latter as insisting: "I never take chances with adventures, hoping they'll happen—I make them happen."

### Meets Halliburton

During a revolution in Athens, (they happened every few months until the world-wide upset became acute about a year ago), Miss du Poy and Halliburton were escorted home from a party at the point of Greek soldiers' bayonets. He regarded the bayonet escort incident with consternation—but he revelled in a moonlight nap on the steps of the Parthenon, which to her "would be merely uncomfortable."

Adventures in Greece today, the club members were told, are practically the same as they were during Homer's and Plato's time. Though there are now street cars, a few moving pictures, and radios in Athens, one cannot remain in the city 24 hours, the speaker declared, without sensing that Socrates walked and Homer sang there. "Paradoxically," she continued, "civilization as we know it here today, started in Greece three or four thousand years ago. And the essence of the country has not changed."

### Most Democratic

She considers Greece the most democratic country in the world. There, a bootblack is expected to call the prime minister by his surname, and in the absence of her mistress, a maid entertains callers, (even though it be the wife of an attaché of the British legation), until the lady of the house returns.

The Greeks are also individualistic, she found. "Every Greek soldier considers himself a general," she observed, "and every general feels himself a soldier." The race is extremely patriotic. Every Greek longs to be prime minister and have a try at government.

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which lends natural vitality to their democracy.

Philosophy originated in Greece, Miss du Poy reminded her listeners, and Greek children begin its study at the age of six, together with the study of modern and ancient Greek, German, French and church history. "They seem to live through it," she said, when asked about a child's ability to cope with an educational system which schedules classes from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

She mistook the first funeral she saw in Greece for a wedding. Children are mourned, because their lives are cut short, though there is little sadness when an older person dies—and death is a very real part of life. After being washed in wine and the placing of a wreath of flowers about the head, the body is carried through the streets on an open bier to the accompaniment of gay music, with a feast climaxing the ritual.

### Feminine Status

The status of women in Greece is a combination of the Oriental and advancement. Every girl must accumulate a dowry, (she saw dowry chests filled with as many as 150 hand-woven blankets), and a family of four or five daughters is considered a catastrophe. The oldest woman in the household rules. For instance, a great-grandmother 100 years of age, is consulted on every turn, and nothing can be sold or no one can marry in the family without her consent.

"Men of Greece have a deep-rooted idea of chivalry," the speaker said, "even in the bandit-infested mountain regions. I've traveled all over Greece on donkey back, without being molested."

### History Repeats Itself

History repeats itself constantly in Greece, the American woman discovered, and often involves the unwary tourist. The signature on her visiting card started a six weeks' riot, caused her to be a virtual prisoner in Athens, resulted in the execution of three, and a sentence of life imprisonment for a poet, (who was released during the next revolt, six months afterward).

The card Miss du Poy signed served as a note of introduction for the poet to a friend of the speaker in Naples. Her arrest and the triple execution occurred after censorship of a letter to Miss du Poy from the poet, in which he expressed appreciation for the kindness of the friend in Naples who contributed \$10,000 to armed refugees to start a revolution and bring about the release of the Greek statesman, Venizelos.

One of the most stirring adventures experienced by Miss du Poy was a journey by donkey back from Karpenisi to Vourgareli. It was during this journey that Odysseus, her muleteer, invented mythical husbands for his passenger, whom he persisted in referring to variously as "Kyria" (Mrs.) Pierpont Morgan or Clark Gable, because he would "lose prestige" if his countrymen should discover she was unmarried. (In Greece, all young women her age and younger who "amount to anything" are married, she was told).

At Vourgareli, a picturesque village on the slope of Veluchi, the highest peak of the Pindus she was invited to be the guest of the mayor, Papa Lambrakis, and his family. Her hosts begged her to remain at least a week, (she was the first stranger the villagers had ever seen), hoping that with her visit the village might become as popular a summer resort as Karpenisi.

### Greek Hot Dog

On the evening of her arrival.

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## To Plant Trees on Arbor Day

Purchase of two trees, to be planted on the school grounds on Arbor Day, was decided upon at last evening's meeting of the Prairieville Parent-Teacher association. Mrs. George Wechsler, president of the organization, conducted the business meeting.

The evening's program consisted of moving pictures shown by Dr. W. A. McNichols of Dixon. The scenes included the Sun Valley resort, Boulder Dam, and Death Valley, points included on the McNichols' holiday itinerary.

Special music was furnished by the primary room, singing "The March Wind," and the grammar room students, who invited the audience to join in the song, "It's a Happy-Happy Day."

Refreshments were served during the social hour. The next meeting was planned for April 2.

### WAWOKIYE CLUB

Birthday anniversaries of Mesdames George Patterson, Charles Hahn and Hortense Mosholder, occurring this week, were honored with a song, when Wawokiye club members met at the home of Mrs. John Stanley on Wednesday. Fifteen women responded to roll call with household hints.

Mrs. Stanley, Mrs. Henry Rankin and Mrs. Maurice Laursen arranged a program of games. Mrs. Grace Stanley entertained with a story contest, with Mrs. Arthur Hoban as reader. Prize winners during the afternoon included Mrs. Laursen, Mrs. Guynn, and the hostess.

Mrs. Arthur Hoban and Mrs. Edward Johnson will be in charge of the program on April 5, when the club is to meet at Mrs. Hahn's home on rural route 3.

### DIXON SCOUTS TO ATTEND SERVICES

Dixon Girl Scouts will launch a week-long observance of Girl Scout Week on Sunday by attending morning church services. Protestant girls, who will attend services at the Methodist church at 10:30 A. M. Sunday, will meet for practice at the church at 1:30 P. M. tomorrow.

Catholic girls will attend Communion at St. Anne's church at 8 o'clock Sunday morning, and will have practice at 11 A. M. on Saturday. While attendance at the services is not compulsory, as many Scouts as possible are asked to don their uniforms and be present.

### POSTPONE CARD PARTY

The card party which members of the Dixon Woman's Relief corps had planned for Monday evening has been postponed indefinitely.

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## Miss Nagle Heads Dixon Wa-Tan-Yans

Election of new officers and a resume of the past year's accomplishments, contained in committee reports, featured the annual meeting for Dixon Wa-Tan-Yans last evening. Miss Helen Nagle is the new president, succeeding Miss Frances Patrick.

Other officers named were: Vice president, Miss Alice Meppin; secretary, Mrs. J. L. Tavenner; treasurer, Mrs. Mary Bales. Mrs. Roy Wilhelm and Miss Leone Ort are to serve two-year terms on the board of directors, and Mrs. M. E. Potter was elected for one year. Others serving on the new board will be Mrs. Carl Haack, whose term is unexpired, and Miss Patrick.

The Misses Margaret Minnihan and Frances Lally served as tellers. Mrs. James M. Miley headed the nominating committee.

Payments totalling \$100 were reported for the past year on the chapter's service project, correction of the dental defects of a young Dixon girl, and plans for accepting a new project were discussed.

Proceeds amounting to nearly \$68 were announced for the finance committee's "yard of dimes" fund. Eleven new members were initiated during the year.

The Misses Kathryn Harrington, Grace Koeppe, and Eileen Brecken composed the hostess committee for the dinner which preceded the business meeting. Jonquils, iris, violets and tulips were combined with pussywillows for attractive bouquets on the tables. Covers were arranged for 21 members.

## Polo Teacher Writes Operetta

A one-act operetta composed by C. E. Rose, music instructor in the Polo Community high school, will be featured on the program for the annual spring concert, which the music department of the school will present on Thursday evening, March 29.

Mr. Rose has based his composition on the life of Stephen Foster, composer of "My Old Kentucky Home," "Swanee River," and other folk songs of the south.

LaVerne Livingston, president of the Music Council, has announced the following committee appointments for the event: Publicity, Nancy White, Madeline French and Don Smith; stage, Jack Terry, James Waters, and Don Hurdle; arrangements, Ruth Johnston, Ted Cruikshank, and Evelyn Graehling.

### BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. Ada B. Huyett entertained nine guests at dinner last evening, honoring the birthday anniversaries of the Misses Iva Mensch and Clara Buchman.

### LITERARY CLUB

Last evening's meeting for the Twentieth Century Literary club was postponed until March 14, when Mrs. Gus Wimpelberg will entertain.

## ANNOUNCE SLIP COVER LESSON

A slip cover demonstration will be presented for Lee County Home Bureau members by Miss Martin of Freeport on Wednesday in the Masonic hall in Amboy. Fifty homemakers have enrolled for the lesson, which is to start at 2 p. m. Others interested in enrolling are asked to notify the Home Bureau office.

### WINS HONOR

According to an Associated Press dispatch of Wednesday, Mrs. Joseph E. Davies, wife of the special assistant to Secretary Hull, has been awarded the Order of the House of Savoy of the Grand Duchy of Luxembourg. Mrs. Davies, whose husband is a cousin of John Davies, vice president of the City National bank of this city, has also been honored by the Belgium government with the Order of Leopold.

Mr. and Mrs. Davies are vacationing at Palm Beach, Fla.

### SEWING CLUB

Mrs. Merle Drain of Danville, a former member of the group, was a guest of the Nimble Thimble club yesterday afternoon at Mrs. Kenneth Dusing's home. Mrs. Ted Rhodes was welcomed as a new member.

Mrs. Fred Endsley will entertain the club, March 21.

### CHAPTER AC

Chapter AC of the P. E. O. Sisterhood will be guests of Mrs. Claude Horton and Miss Dorothy Armstrong at the former's home on Monday afternoon.

### FLOWER SHOW PARTY

The executive committee of the Chicago Flower show will give its annual luncheon to newspaper women of Chicago and elsewhere Tuesday, March 12, at the Palmer House.

### Calendar

#### Friday

Freeport Concert League — Will present Ionian Singers in concert.

Loveland school — Will present operetta, "The Forest Court", in Dixon high school auditorium, 7:30 p. m.

Minnie Bell Rebekah lodge — Regular meeting.

Operetta, "Betty Lou" — Will be given at Kersten gymnasium in Franklin Grove.

#### Saturday

Dixon Woman's club — Illustrated lecture, "Wild Flowers of This Region and Their Conservation", by Donald T. Ries of Starved Rock park at St. Luke's Episcopal church.

#### Sunday

First Church of Christ, Scientist — Will sponsor free lecture by John Henry Weer, C. S., of Brookline, Mass., at Brinton Memorial Masonic temple, 3 p. m.

## Operetta To Be Staged, Tonight

After weeks of preparation, involving painstaking rehearsals and costume-making, students of the Loveland grade school will appear behind the footlights of the Dixon high school auditorium this evening in the fanciful fairy operetta, "The Forest Court." About 100 children, including the entire enrollment of the school, have been assigned to portray a rippling water, flower, fairies, and wee folk of the forest.

Miss Helen DeBray's third and fourth graders were leading the school's ticket-selling contest today, with well over \$26 to their credit. Proceeds from the production, which is being staged under sponsorship of the Parent-Teacher association, will be used for additional equipment for the school.

The curtain for tonight's performance is scheduled to rise at 7:30 o'clock.

### HIGHLAND CLUB

Mrs. James Malloy and Mrs. Charles Ruggles will entertain members of the Highland Avenue club Tuesday evening at the former's home, 1049 South Highland avenue.

right for cruise or southern beach wear are short black sweaters of softest cashmere that hug the figure flatteringly. The sleeves are above-elbow length and the neckline and front buttoned closing are softly outlined in dainty scallops. Very striking with dazzling white slacks and white twisted head scarf.

Whipcord weaves in solid color rayon crepes look very springlike. Geometric prints take first place ahead of florals. Such is an important fabric. And silks with a chamomile-like finish in soft, subdued beige and grays lend themselves beautifully to silhouettes which mold the figure above the neckline.

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## Help the Milk Fund

On Saturday there will be a Tag Day on the streets of Dixon for the benefit of a milk fund for under-nourished school children, sponsored by the Royal Cardinals, a group of civic minded young men and women who have a splendid record for good deeds in this city.

At present the Royal Cardinals are providing a bottle of milk each school day for 120 pupils in all of the schools of Dixon and Swissville. This supply only takes care of the necessary minimum and with ample funds many more children could be given this valuable service. The proceeds of Tag Day will give a start to this splendid work, which the Royal Cardinals have undertaken in the belief that they will have the support of the public, and milk-bottle depositories which will be placed about the city are expected to provide continued financial aid for the project.

Be generous when you buy your tag on Saturday and when you see a milk fund bottle on a store counter drop in a dime or two now and then. You can help some youngster to get roses in her cheeks.

The Royal Cardinals are a group of young people with very high ideals. They should be encouraged and given enthusiastic support by the general public.

## Why Not Try This Frontier?

"Go west, young man."

Those words, attributed to Horace Greeley, one of the dominant moulders of public opinion in the America of almost a century ago, guided many an ambitious youth into the new parts of the nation.

Seemingly, his advice was heard not only in America, but in Europe, for immigrants from the old country swarmed into the United States, took up land and became the backbone of the nation of their adoption.

But the frontier of the western United States is gone. All that remains is Grapes of Wrath. Ambition-fired youth must seek to the north or the

south for a new frontier. The same applies to emigrants or refugees from war-torn Europe. There are fortunes to be made in South America—but there are difficulties to surmount.

Paraguay was in the news recently. The reason: Another revolution. Gen. Jose Felix Estigarribia grabbed the reins and now is in the driver's seat of the Paraguayan capital Asuncion. Senior Estigarribia has the army behind him. He has suspended the legislative end of the government. In other words he's the current dictator. It's the fourth revolution Paraguay has had since the end of the republic's Chaco war with Bolivia a couple of years ago.

The Chaco war was a row over territory. It was territory which both countries suspected contained oil. There is unquestionably some oil there, and Yankee dollars are trying to develop it. But regardless of the extent of the oil resources, the Chaco country is pastorally and agriculturally valuable.

Alfalfa Bill Murray promoted an attempt to colonize the region right after the World War. It failed because the Chaco was too primitive. Murray's Oklahomans couldn't get along without telephones and plumbing. Thereafter, Tex Rickard, who promoted other things besides prize fights, had a fling at colonizing this Chaco territory, and it, too, fizzled, nicking the Rickard bankroll for about a million iron men. Then Fred Engen undertook to plant a colony of Canadians there, with the same lack of success. Yet, the Chaco region of Paraguay remains enticing.

It's about the size of Texas. It is capable of producing meat to feed the world, plus plenty of vegetables, coffee, cotton and rubber. One of its drawbacks is lack of transportation. There are not only no railroads—there are no roads and few trails. Chaco is an Indian word meaning wilderness. And apparently the region is not misnamed. Another drawback, of course is Paraguay's revolutions and the attendant shaky economic structure.

But let's get back to our own frontier. There were no railroads when the first settlers took up residence in the west. The country's economics were shaky, and there was internal dissension. Still, that generation which heeded Greeley's advice overcame the obstacles imposed by nature, by terrain and by government—or lack of it—and the west was won.

There are plenty of folk in the frayed, war-torn world who want some place to go. Plenty of them have been forced out of their homes and countries. But, apparently they lack the stamina and the courage of that former generation which pushed over the west. Their demand seems to be for room in large cities, room where they can enter trade. And South America's cities already are overcrowded. Buenos Aires, for instance, in Argentina, Paraguayans neighbor to the south, has 2½ million people of the country's population of some 8 or 9 million—and Argentina has an area about one-third the size of the United States. Paraguay has room for Europe's refugees, and opportunity to open a new frontier. But, lacking the will to struggle against the odds which are always the lot of pioneers, they probably would elect to huddle together in Asuncion if they should reach Paraguay. And in Asuncion the capital city which already is too big, they would be fertile soil for more of the revolutionistic tendencies which are too prevalent in certain of the South American countries.

## NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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Washington, March 7.—If you see sparks coming from the White House chimneys, it will not be an overheated flue, but President Roosevelt in person writhing about what congress has quietly done to his plan for a third set of locks in the Panama Canal. He gets restless as a jumping jehoshaphat at mention of the subject.

Not a flicker of light has escaped the backstage curtains, although the president radioed congressional leaders from his cruising Caribbean ship asking them to defer their decision to eliminate \$15,000,000 from his budget for that purpose. Unfortunately the decision had already been made as his ship was nearing Panama on the southward voyage. The \$15,000,000 item had been cut out by the house appropriations committee, and the leaders let the action stand.

First thing Roosevelt said to his leaders upon his return was that the appropriation should be provided. At the last session he secured authorization for \$227,000,000, but the initial appropriation to start the work could not be made in the short time then remaining before congress adjourned.

Black Gold: British determination to cut off German coal shipments to Italy will not hurt Germany much but will be very painful to Italy. It is true the only export through which Hitler can get large buying balances abroad is coal, but he does not need balances in Italy now. Under the axis agreement which transported Germans from the Italian Tyrol, Italy still owes Hitler somewhere between 6 and 9 billion lira for expropriated lands.

Mussolini, however, must have coal. He must import about 12,000,000 tons annually and presumably must now get it from Britain at least so the British figure, because the transportation costs from the United States would nearly double the price.

Collapse: The spenders' attempt to crowbar a fresh \$800,000,000 authorization from congress for lowest cost housing has collapsed with a suppressed thud. It appears the low priced housing administrator, Nathan Straus, got his foot caught under the program when it fell.

Straus' United States Housing Authority denies all knowledge of the cave-in, but more than one member of the house banking and currency committee will bear private witness to the tragic scuffling of Straus' toes. It seems the house leaders had finally worked out a compromise to let USHA replenish its completely bare treasury. The compromise called for Straus to abandon his policy of a free 5 per cent subsidy to cities on his 90 per cent federal contribution toward all slums clearance projects. This would have put USHA on a self-sustaining basis.

The committee held a very secret session, called Straus, but in a few minutes there was such strong-worded disagreement between them that Straus walked off in one direction, and the committee in the other, leaving the plan on the floor. It will remain there until someone from USHA comes up to accept the alteration, say the committeemen.

Sensitivity: Morgenthau was not fooling when he urged the spenders to keep quiet while he is refinancing. The method he followed in refusing \$748,000,000 in notes seems to be proof of his apprehensions. Ordinarily the treasury attempts to convert short term notes into long term bonds at the earliest opportunity, but Morgenthau decided not to test the bond market with a new long term issue at this time. He is refunding the notes for another five years.

Planning: Local real estate agents in many cities have become excited by the soft shoe comings and goings of government officials inspecting large industrial plant sites. From Memphis, for instance, it has been reported that both Jim Farley and Louis Johnson quietly inspected 5000 acres where rumors suggested a plant employing ten thousand people might be erected.

All this activity is due to a survey of sites being made by a group in the war department preparing a report of land that could be used for building arsenals and ammunition loading depots in case of emergency, meaning, of course, war. The sites apparently are not to be used unless the emergency arises.

Career: There is a lesson somewhere in the shuttlecock government career of William Thorp.

## News in Brief

John K. Batchelder has been called home from a commercial trip because of the critical illness of his mother, Mrs. John M. Batchelder, 704 E. Second street, who is reported to be in a state of coma.

Mrs. Zona Steele has been discharged from the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital, and is convalescing at her home on Douglas avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. John Weiler of Mt. Morris were Thursday shoppers in Dixon.

Edward Geigle of Polo was a business visitor in Dixon Thursday.

A. H. Montavon of Sublette transacted business here Thursday.

Mrs. George Tyler is visiting relatives in Sterling.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scheaffer are now settled on their recently-purchased farm, five miles west of Dixon on the Lincoln highway.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Sam of Amboy were Dixon visitors Thursday evening.

Mrs. Gordon Andrew went to Kirklund this morning on business.

Mrs. Clarence Castle of Sublette was in Dixon Thursday.

Milton Vaupel of Bradford township transacted business in Dixon Wednesday afternoon.

John Archer of Compton was a business caller in Dixon Wednesday afternoon.

Donna Jean, two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hever, is a medical patient at the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital.

The Edwin Rollman family has moved from south of Dixon on route 2 to Woosung.

Fred Warren transacted business in Paw Paw yesterday.

Billy Toberman has been quite ill at his home for several days.

Dixon lodge of the Loyal Order of Moose are sponsoring a dance at their hall Saturday evening.

Red McShane and his band "of a million thrills" will furnish music for the occasion.

Mrs. William Smice of East Fourth street is recovering from an attack of influenza.

## Dixon Travel--

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the mayor invited her to the stone courtyard, where he "killed a lamb before my very eyes for my supper." During the meal, she became acquainted with the coreceti, described by the speaker as "a Greek hot dog."

At the end of the week, Miss du Poy went in search of Odyssees to prepare for her departure—and found the muleteer "discussing politics with a chemist in a cafe, while his mule was eating the candles off the altar in a nearby church." Not far out of the village, Odyssees noticed three eagles flying to their left, and predicted: "There's a catastrophe going to happen."

The "catastrophe" happened when Miss du Poy was bitten by a huge ochia while assisting with preparations for their evening meal of coreceti. Retracing their journey to the Lambrakis home, her wound was treated by the chemist (the only physician available), and she recovered to the amazement of all the villagers. Considering the whole happening a miracle, women brought their babies for Miss du Poy to kiss, and even new-born lambs and

The senior choir of the Christian church will rehearse Easter music this evening at 7:30 at the church. All members of the choir are urged to attend.

Mrs. Henry Jensen spent Thursday visiting in Chicago.

Judge Harry Wheat of Freeport was a Dixon business visitor yesterday afternoon. William Weller of Mt. Morris was a business caller in Dixon Thursday.

C. W. Thompson of Harmon is moving to a farm near Coleta. Ed Mensch of Dixon, route 1, was a business caller in Dixon Thursday afternoon.

Leo Moore of Dixon, route 1, has returned home after having spent three days near St. Louis, Mo., where he attended a cattle sale.

Mrs. H. F. Cook and daughter Virginia were in Chicago, Thursday.

Miss Lucile Stauffer has been confined to her home by illness.

Miss Harry Millhouse of Rockford was a Dixon visitor yesterday.

Harold Cook transacted business in Rockford, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Eberly of rural route 2, Dixon, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Meyers last evening in honor of Mr. Meyers' birthday anniversary.

Clifford Barth, who has been ill with pneumonia for the past week, is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Merle Drain of Danville, formerly of this city, has been spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cook.

Mrs. Howard Woodyatt, Jr. spent today in Chicago.

Miss Dona Welch is ill at her home, 1011 Hennepin avenue.

Mrs. Poy Randall, Mrs. Charles Leydig, Mrs. Alice Randall, and Harry Herbst were in Rockford yesterday, attending funeral services for Mrs. Alice Randall's nephew, Frank Springer, at the McAllister Funeral Home.

Charles W. Kested submitted to a tonsillectomy this morning at Katherine Shaw Betha hospital.

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## HOLD EVERYTHING!



"For the love of Mike, take it easy—I've got a cake in the oven!"

## Deaths

## Suburban—

## WM. SPAULDING

(Telegraph Special Service)  
Mendota, March 8.—William Spaulding, 47, World war veteran and father of two children, passed away at 2:30 o'clock this morning at the veterans' hospital in Dwight, to which institution he was taken yesterday, after having been a patient at the Harris hospital here for several months. Funeral arrangements had not been made early this afternoon. Mr. Spaulding's wife preceded him in death last April.

## GLENN E. FEARY

(Telegraph Special Service)  
Oregon, March 8.—Glenn Eugene Feary, 18, son of William and Edna Butterbaugh Feary, died at 10 P. M. Wednesday at the family home in Rockvale township. Death was caused by heart trouble. He was born June 21, 1921, in Pine Creek township. Surviving are his parents; three brothers, Donald, Harold and Carl, and two sisters, Lois and Ruth, all at home, and his maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Butterbaugh of Pine Creek township.

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## Funerals

## DR. JOHN LORD

The funeral of Dr. John Lord, famous Omaha physician and surgeon and native of Dixon, who passed away suddenly of a heart attack in Coral Gables, Fla., Sunday afternoon, will be held at the Sugar Grove church in Palmyra township at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The Rev. Herbert J. Doran of the First Presbyterian church will officiate, and burial of the doctor's ashes will be in the Sugar Grove cemetery.

Two of the deceased's partners in Omaha will attend the services, the ashes being accompanied to Dixon from Chicago by his sister, Miss Mae Lord of Dixon, who was with him at his death; his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roger T. Vaughan, and their children, John, Troop and Mary Frances.

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## Church Societies

Class Meeting — Crusaders of the Brethren church were guests of their president, Mrs. Ira Utz, last evening. Games, suggested by Mrs. William Adams, were followed by refreshments.



## FANFARE



By DON DANIELSON.

## IT'S UP TO YOU, STERLING

With Belvidere blasted from the sectional tournament at Rockford last night, Sterling is the only North Central conference member among the 32 teams in the race for the 1940 crown. As the Brandonmen face Canton at Kewanee tonight, the Dixon fans wish their fellow-members of the conference a happy landing. The Rock River conference looks to Oregon to carry on the banner of that league.

## CURBSTONE COMMENT

Around the village today the basketball "experts" are predicting that Freeport will jolt the much-touted Hebron quintet in the semi-finals at Rockford this evening. The little giant killer, they contend, doesn't figure in the law of averages to come through with the strong Prezel club which last night bumped off Belvidere.

## OFF THE SPINDLE

Polo, cellar team in the Rock River conference, loses only Beck with graduation. Dusing, Hoover, Waters and Smith are all juniors now. Of the Oregon champions, five are seniors. They are Franklin, Pryor, Maxwell, Thomas and Gecan. Pelmsa, Ferguson, Young and Engstrom are juniors. Morrison holds the Rock River record for football attendance and Polo holds the record for basketball.

## VOLLEY BALL GAMES

Thirteen members of the Dixon business and professional men's volleyball league turned out for the much-touted Hebron school gymnasium here last night. Only about six more sessions are on the schedule before the season ends. Included among the players last night were: Moore, Schildberg, Hey, Lyons, Gronberg, Weaver, Nilsson, Rev. Walter, Finley, Cron, Anderson, Flatt and Snively.

## ASHTON'S RECORD

Edward Calhoun with a total of 1173 points was the high individual scorer for the Ashton Aces in the season just ended, according to the pencil scratchings of Robert Dean. Jenkins was second high with 158 points and Loren Calhoun was third with 117. Others and their totals were: Cain 115; Willis Kersten 54; Leuzinger 47; Grover 19; L. Kersten 9; Witzel 6; R. Calhoun 4; Schafer 2; Gersbers 2; Root 1.

## Training Camp Briefs

(By The Associated Press)

## NEED MORE HELP

Orlando, Fla. — Convinced his Washington Senators need more pitching help, Manager Bucky Harris is spending his time off the field studying the waiver lists. Harris believes another seasoned hurler must be obtained if the Senators are going to climb out of the second division. In the past Harris has had considerable success with castoffs from other clubs.

## ON HOSPITAL LIST

Lakeland, Fla. — The Detroit Tigers have two players on the hospital list. Infielder Charley Gehringer has been troubled with a lame back and dropped out of practice Wednesday. Barney McCosky, the outfield sensation of last year, has joined him with an upset stomach.

## SHOWS TEACHING ABILITY

Winter Haven, Fla. — Fresh from his professional duties at a nearby baseball school, Shortstop Billy Jurges got a chance to show his teaching ability to the New York Giants yesterday. Manager Bill Terry asked him to show the squad Jurges' own very efficient method of scoring from second.

## NEW SWITCH-HITTER

Fort Myers, Fla. — They laughed a week ago when Catcher Rollie Hemsley told his Cleveland Indian teammates he was going to bat left-handed. Although he has been strictly a right-handed hitter throughout his major league career, Hemsley plans to be a switch hitter this season and has been slugging hard from the port side in preparation.

## EXHIBITION GAME

Clearwater, Fla. — The first inter-major exhibition game of the season brought the Brooklyn Dodgers and Cincinnati Reds together today. Manager Bill McKee planned to start a team of rookies, being particularly eager to see Outfielder Mike McCormick in action. But the Dodgers took the fray more seriously and called on a crew of veterans led by Pitcher Hugh Casey, who probably got the opening game assignment April 16, too.

## COMING ALONG FINE

Avalon, Calif. — Clay Bryant, the Chicago Cub pitcher who sat out most of 1939 because of an ailing arm, is coming along fine. He already has thrown more baseballs than he did throughout last season and apparently with no ill effects. The first intra-



squad game of the spring was on tap today.

## MAKES IMPRESSION

Miami Beach, Fla. — Robert Bragan, 21-year-old rookie from Pensacola, Fla., has made an impression upon the Phillies by his play at shortstop. "He gets the jump quickly, comes in fast, faces the ball and scoops it up," enthused Coach Hans Lobert.

## HAS A NEW CASE

Pasadena, Cal. — Muddy Ruel, the former catcher who now is a coach for the Chicago White Sox and an expert at rehabilitating pitchers has a new case—Rookie Vallie Eaves.

Eaves never has had a good curve because of a stiff wrist which resulted from his four years on crutches after a leg injury. Now Muddy is teaching him a "stiff wrist" curve.

## "NOT WORRIED"

St. Petersburg, Fla. — Manager Ray Blades says his St. Louis Cardinals aren't worried about that exhibition game tomorrow with the World Champion Yankees, but he ordered an extra long batting practice today.

## NEVER WORKED HARDER

San Bernardino, Calif. — Paul (Big Poison) Waner had this to say about the rigorous routine, new to the Pittsburgh Pirates, that Manager Frank Frisch had imposed at training camp:

"Some of the pitchers and catchers told me they never worked harder in their lives and after I'd been in uniform for half an hour I saw they weren't talking through their hats. I thought to myself, if this keeps up for ten days half of us will be in great condition and the other half dead. But jokes aside, hard work of this kind never hurt any ball player."

## Sectional Scores

(By The Associated Press)

**At Joliet**  
Bradley 43; Joliet 34  
East Aurora 52; Mason 21  
**At Lawrenceville**  
Aledo 28; Monmouth 26  
Rock Island 39; Abingdon 34  
**At Mattoon**  
Paris 41; Cerro Gordo 22  
Mattoon 41; Georgetown 30  
**At Springfield**  
Gillespie 34; Decatur 31  
Athens 23; Lanphier (Springfield) 19  
**At Elgin**  
Sycamore 26; Libertyville 20  
Dundee 43; Morton (Cicero) 39  
**At Kewanee**  
Leviestown 44; Dallas City 27  
Kewanee 27; Galesburg 19  
**At Ottawa**  
LaSalle-Peru 37; Fairbury 14  
Seneca 35; Grandville 29  
**At Champaign**  
Urbana 35; Homer 33 (overtime)  
Champaign 28; Clinton 26 (two overtimes)  
**At Quincy**  
Hamilton 39; Pittsfield 26  
Camp Point 49; Bluffs 34  
**At Rockford**  
Hebron 37; Mt. Morris 22  
Freeport 31; Belvidere 22  
**At Peoria**  
Peoria Manual 28; Pekin 26 (two overtimes)  
Lincoln 57; San Jose 31  
**At Highland**  
Granite City 64; Jerseyville 27  
Livingston 32; Collinsville 30  
**At East Moline**  
Casey 27; Olney 16  
Albion 45; Fairfield 21  
**At Centralia**  
Duquoin 34; Teutopolis 30  
Centralia 41; West Frankfort 37  
**At Hannibal**  
Hannibal 36; Johnson City 32  
Brookport 32; Cairo 20.

## WRITER'S SON STARS

Philadelphia — John Drebringer, Jr., Pennsylvania's star miler, is the son of the president of the New York Chapter of the Baseball Writers Association.

# Oregon and Rabs Meet Tonight

## Hebron Favorites Defeat Mount Morris

### OREGON'S HAWKS WILL MEET RABS IN TILT TONIGHT

Little Hebron's Five to Meet Freeport in The Second Contest

## GAMES TONIGHT

(Semi-Finals)  
7:30—Oregon vs. Rockford.  
8:30—Hebron vs. Freeport.

Coach Arthur Driver and his Oregon champions tonight carry the hopes of the Rock River conference into the semi-finals of the sectional basketball race at Rockford.

The Hawks, who won their right to the assignment by tripping Stockton in the opening game of the series, will need every trick at their command in the effort to rout the defending state champions.

In clearing the hurdles to win the Rock River title the Oregon boys won 10 games and lost but two. In the entire season they counted 14 victories in 19 games.

Rockford, a team which finished fifth in the Big Seven conference with six wins and six defeats, is a force which will give the Hawks a terrific struggle. Rockford has been known to come through a mediocre season with the ability to play tournament ball in a style which carries the Rabs through to the state honors. When the chips are down, the Rockford club, coached by Jim Laude, can deliver.

## Regional Record

In the regional which the Oregon boys won by trimming Mt. Morris they scored an average of 33 points in three games as compared to 20.3 by their opponents. Of this total of 99 tallies John Franklin was high scorer with 32 points. He is also the lad who held the honors in the conference season with a total of 117 points.

In winning the regional title at Belvidere the Rabs averaged a score of 50.66 in three games as compared to the opponents' average of 21.66. Alonzo with 40 tallies was high scorer of the regional and Speck was second with 38 points. Both boys were members of last year's state championship team.

Rockford won its right to the semi-finals tonight by ousting the disappointing Dixon Ducks, 34 to 24, Wednesday night.

## Hebron vs. Freeport

In the second game of the semi-finals tonight the much-touted Hebron five—a club rated to clear the hurdles largely because of sentimental reasons—will meet the Allen-men of Freeport. The Pretzels defeated Stockton, 32 to 18, to win the regional trophy and averaged 33.6 points in the tournament. Hebron slapped two giants in climbing to the sectional event. The Hebron lads routed Elgin 26 to 23 and spilled Dundee, 37 to 34. In the tournament they averaged 38.3 points as compared to 29.6 by their opponents. High scorer for the little team was Johnson with 33 tallies who last night counted 12 in the defeat of Mt. Morris.

The winners of the two games tonight will meet tomorrow night in the finals of the tournament and the champion will continue in its search for fame as a member of the "sweet sixteen" at Champaign next Thursday in a game with the winner of the Kewanee sectional. There will be no consolation game tomorrow night.

### BILL HAPAC WINS NEARLY EVERY HONOR THERE IS IN ILLINOIS BASKETBALL BOOK

Champaign, Ill., March 8.—(AP)—The end of Bill Hapac's collegiate cage career found him in possession of virtually every record in the University of Illinois basketball book.

Here are some of his achievements:  
Big Ten conference single game scoring record of 34 points.  
Illinois record of 582 points for a three-year season (all games).  
Illinois record of 244 points for a single season (all games).  
Modern Illinois record of 387 points for three years of Big Ten play.  
Modern Illinois record of 164 points for a single Big Ten season.

Tied Chuck Carney's 1920 Illinois record of 60 field goals for a Big Ten season.

First Big Ten scoring champion from Illinois since Carney (1922).  
The former Morton (Cicero) high player wound up the 1939-40 season against conference as well as non-conference opposition with 95 field goals, 54 free throws, 244 points, 31 free throws missed and 44 personal fouls. The second high ranking Illini was Walter "Hoot" Evers of Collinsville, Ill., with 113 points.

Largest pine mill in the world at Lewiston, Idaho, cuts 400,000 feet of lumber during each of its eight hour shifts.

### Semi-Finals Are to Be Played Tonight in the Grade School Tourney

Harmon to Meet Ashton and South Central of Dixon Plays Amboy in Race For the Championship of Lee County

## GAMES LAST NIGHT

Lee Center 14; St. Mary's 14.  
(Overtime).  
Ashton 19; Paw Paw 5.  
Lincoln 20; North Central 17.  
Amboy 29; Franklin Grove 5.

## GAMES TONIGHT

Lincoln vs. Franklin Grove.  
South Central vs. Amboy.  
Lee Center vs. Compton.  
Ashton vs. Harmon.

The Lee county grade school tournament, which goes into the semi-finals in the Mills and Petrie Gymnasium at Ashton tonight, finds two Dixon teams still in the running. One, South Central has the chance to win the championship, while Lincoln is still in good standing for consolation honors.

In the first game of the double elimination event last night the Lee Center team defeated St. Mary's, 16 to 14 in an overtime period. The game ended in a 13-all knot and in the extra period Pentony scored a free throw for the losers and Bates counted a charity shot and after missing two free throws he knocked in the winning bucket. High scorer of the game was Pomeroy of the Lee Center team who counted six points on two field goals and two free throws.

## Ashton Wins

On the championship side of the bracket the Ashton hosts swamped the Paw Paw cagers under a 19 to 5 count with Edward Zager scoring eight of the winners' totals. The only scoring for Paw Paw were the three points by Boyle and the two by Rafferty.

Ashton took a 4 to 0 lead in the first period and led 8 to 1 at the intermission. The winners will meet Harmon in the fourth game of the semi-finals tonight.

In a game to determine consolation honors the Lincoln school of Dixon nosed out the North Central five, 20 to 17 in one of the best games of the tournament. Alexander starred for the winners with six buckets for a total of 12 points and Marshall counted seven for the North Central squad. Lincoln led 8 to 2 at the end of the first period and the North Central team rallied to trail by only one point, 10 to 9, at the intermission.

## Score Was Knotted

At the close of the third period the two teams were knotted in a 14-all count and the Lincoln graders went ahead with six points in the final stanza while holding the rivals to three.

In the final game last night the Franklin Grove cagers who had drawn a bye in the first round were swamped by Amboy, 29 to 5. The winners were paced by the 13 points of Forward Haws who counted six field goals and one free toss. Yingling and Shaulis each scored two points for the losers and Watson tossed in a charity shot.

## Box Scores:

Lee Center (16)				
	Fg	Ft	Ft	Pct
Pomeroy, f	2	2	1	6
Bates, f	1	1	1	3
E. Hapac, c	0	0	0	0
H. Jeanblanc	0	0	0	0
Jahn, g	1	2	3	4
Wilson, g	0	0	0	0
Carlson, g	1	1	3	3
Totals	5	6	11	16
St. Mary's (14)				
	Fg	Ft	Ft	Pct
Lawler, f	0	3	0	3
Adams, f	0	0	0	0
Hannan, f	1	1	2	3
Callahan, c	2	4	5	4
Gibson, c	0	0	0	0
McBride, g	0	0	2	0
McDonald, g	0	0	2	0
Pentony, g	1	1	3	3
Whitebread, g	0	0	1	0
Totals	4	6	15	14
Score by Quarters				
Lee Center	7	9	12	13-16
St. Mary's	5	6	12	13-14
Ashton (19)				
	Fg	Ft	Ft	Pct
Jennings, f	1	0	0	2
Jacobs, f	0	0	0	0
Landis, f	2	1	0	5
Scott, f	1	0	1	2
E. Zager, c	4	0	1	8
Chadwick, c	0	0	1	0
Unger, g	0	0	0	0
Witzel, g	0	0	0	0
Yenerich, g	0	0	0	0
C. Zager, c	1	0	1	2
Totals	9	1	7	19
Paw Paw (5)				
	Fg	Ft	Ft	Pct
Hampton, f	0	0	3	0
Carnahan, f	0	0	0	0
Safranek, f	0	0	1	0
Martin, f	0	0	0	0
Boyle, c	1	1	0	3
Rafferty, g	0	0	2	0
Krueger, g	0	0	1	0
Jones, g	0	0	0	0
Buchanan, g	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	3	5	5
Score by Quarters				
Ashton	14	5	13	19
Paw Paw	0	1	5	5
Lincoln (20)				
	Fg	Ft	Ft	Pct
Cooper, f	0	0	2	0
Trick, f	0	0	1	0
Utz, f	0	0	2	0
Frey, c	0	0	1	0
Alexander, c	6	0	12	6
Mienke, c	2	0	4	4
Whiting, c	0	0	0	0
Williams, g	1	0	2	2
Miller, g	0	0	2	2
Totals	9	2	7	20
North Central (17)				
	Fg	Ft	Ft	Pct
Mason, f	1	0	1	2
Goff, f	0	2	1	2
Bowers, c	1	0	2	5
Marshall, g	3	1	2	7
Broman, g	0	2	4	2
Walters, g	0	0	0	0

### BOWLING

**COMMERCIAL LEAGUE**  
Hill Bros. last night won three games from the Rink Keglers in the activities of the Commercial league at the Dixon Recreation. Moersbacher paced the winners with a 496 series and O'Malley led the losers with 463.

Rube's won two games from league-leading Ted's team. Kline paced the winners with a 344 series and Venier rolled 508 for the losers.

Sparky's quintet won two games from the Round-Up with Blackburn leading the winners with a 501 series and O. Carlson rolling 493 for the losers.

Coss won two games from the In and Outers. Ridlbauer and Tilton tied with scores of 508 each to lead the winners and Jones rolled 485 for the In and Outers.

Kline's game of 218 was the only one over 200.

## COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

	W	L
Ted's	40	23
Sparky's	36	27
Rink	33	30
Round Up	33	30
Coss	33	30
Rube's	27	36
In and Outers	26	37
Hill Bros.	24	39

## Team Records

High team game—Rink	1094
High team series—Hill Bros.	3098

## Individual Records

High ind. series	276
Moersbacher	634

## Sparky's

Campbell	142	139	153	434
Rubrick	146	121	122	359
Nokes	103	189	127	419
MacLanahan	166	119	157	432
Van Natta, g	167	146	188	501
Fortney, g	0	0	0	0
Chandler, g	0	0	0	0

## Round Ups

Aschenbrenner	154	125	118	374
O. Carlson	193	119	176	493
Ed Carlson	167	147	156	450
B. Carlson	167	167	167	501
(ave)	157	179	148	484
Witzel	123	123	123	369

## Total

907	897	950	2734
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## Rube's

Wells	157	135	128	420
Kestel	128	177	154	459
Galos	156	135	145	436
Kline	161	218	165	544
Bondi	144	159	148	451
	186	186	186	558

## Total

932	1010	926	2868
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## Ted's

Welty	131	140	120	391
Furlong	123	119	132	374
Stanley	127	127	127	381
Shank	194	123	126	443
Venier	179	154	175	508
	187	187	187	561

## Total

941	850	867	2658
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## Rink

	131	131	131	40
Total . . .	907	932	859	265



## TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

## Markets at a Glance

**New York—**  
Stocks irregular; aircrafts supported.  
Bonds higher; foreign dollar loans in front.  
Foreign exchange irregular; sterling under new pressure.  
Cotton easy; hedge selling; foreign pressure.  
Sugar uneven; Cuban and refinery support; easy raws.  
Metals quiet; demand for copper lags.  
Wool tops lower; commission house selling.  
**Chicago—**  
Wheat lower.  
Corn lower.  
Cattle steady.  
Hogs light steady, strong; heavy weak.

## Chicago Grain Table

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	1.04 1/2	1.05	1.02 1/2	1.02 1/2
July	1.02 1/2	1.02 1/2	1.00 1/2	1.00 1/2
Sept.	1.01 1/2	1.02	1.00 1/2	1.00 1/2
CORN—				
May	.56 1/2	.57 1/2	.56 1/2	.56 1/2
July	.57 1/2	.57 1/2	.57 1/2	.57 1/2
Sept.	.58 1/2	.58 1/2	.57 1/2	.57 1/2
OATS—				
May	.42 1/2	.42 1/2	.42	.42
July	.36 1/2	.36 1/2	.36 1/2	.36 1/2
Sept.	.34 1/2	.34 1/2	.33 1/2	.33 1/2
SOY BEANS—				
May	1.15 1/2	1.15 1/2	1.15	1.15
July	1.11 1/2	1.11 1/2	1.11 1/2	1.11 1/2
RYE—				
May	.68 1/2	.68 1/2	.67 1/2	.67 1/2
July	.69 1/2	.69 1/2	.68 1/2	.68 1/2
Sept.	.70 1/2	.70 1/2	.69 1/2	.69 1/2
LARD—				
Mar.	6.15		6.15	
BELLIES—				
Mar.			5.05	

## Chicago Produce

Chicago, Mar. 8.—(AP)—Potatoes 113, on track 294, total U.S. shipments 1,117, slightly weaker; supplies moderate; demands slow; sacked per cwt Idaho russet burbanks U.S. No. 1, 1.82 1/2; U.S. No. 2, 1.45; Colorado red McClures U.S. No. 1, 1.72 1/2; Nebraska bliss triumphs 90 per cent U.S. No. 1, washed few sales 2.25; Minnesota and North Dakota Red river valley section cobbles 80 to 90 per cent U.S. No. 1, very few sales 1.35 @ 42 1/2; U.S. commercial 1.15; bliss triumphs 75 to 80 per cent U.S. No. 1, few sales 1.15 @ 35; Early Ohio 75 to 90 per cent U.S. No. 1, 1.15 @ 35; Wisconsin round whites U.S. commercial 1.20; unclassified 1.00 @ 10; cobbles U.S. No. 1, 1.45; new stock none available today's track market.  
Poultry live, 24 trucks, small hens easier, balance steady; hens 5 lbs and under 16; leghorn hens 14; geese over 12 lbs and 12 lbs and under 10; other prices unchanged.  
Butter 828.645, steady; prices unchanged.  
Eggs 18.234, steady; prices unchanged.  
Butter futures steady, stds closed Mar 27.40; Nov 26.90.  
Egg futures refrig stds Oct 18.60.  
Storage packed firsts Mar. 17.20.

## Chicago Livestock

Chicago, March 8.—(AP)—Salable hogs 8,000; total 12,000; fairly active on weights 220 lbs down, steady to strong with Thursday's average; heavier butchers weak, spots 5 lower; top 5.50; bulk good and choice 180-240 lbs 5.20 @ 5.50; 240-270 lbs butchers 4.90 @ 5.25; 270-320 lbs averages 4.75 @ 5.00; heavier butchers 4.60 @ 75; good 440-500 lbs packing sows 4.10 @ 4.5; lighter weights up to 4.60.  
Salable cattle 1,000; salable calves 200; receipts meager on all classes cattle department; fairly active session on cows, prices fully steady; otherwise cleanup trade at generally steady prices; most

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## GAMBLER SURRENDERS



(NEA Photo.)  
William R. (Big Bill) Johnson, Chicago gambler, signing bond after surrendering on \$2,000,000 federal income tax indictment.

## Amusements



Clifton Webb and Helen Flint in a scene from "The Man Who Came to Dinner," the screamingly funny comedy at the Harris theatre, Chicago. This widely-acclaimed play, written about the life of Alexander Woollcott, is now in the third month of its highly successful run in Chicago, where it is attracting capacity audiences from the entire Middle West. Up to the present time more than 100,000 persons have attended its performances, and the indications are that several times that number will see it before the Chicago run is ended.

## Poet Markham, Known in Dixon, Pneumonia Victim

(Editor's Note—Edwin Markham, the famous poet, whose death is announced in the following AP story, visited Dixon a number of years ago as a guest of the Walgreens at Hazelwood, and while here made a personal appearance before a large audience at the Dixon high school.)

New York, March 7.—(AP)—Edwin Markham has entered upon "the greatest of all adventures".

The poet who rose to fame on "The Man With the Hoe" died last night of pneumonia at the age of 87.

The painting of the same name by Jean Francois Millet served as Markham's inspiration for "The Man With the Hoe". He wrote it, a stanza a day, in 1886; then set it aside for 13 years before casually sending it to the editor of a San Francisco newspaper.

It was an immediate success, was reprinted widely and translated into 40 languages. It's picture of a dull toil-worn peasant who leans

"Upon his hoe and gazes on the ground,  
The emptiness of ages in his face."

"And on his back the burden of the world."

—was a blunt indictment of a world which produced such a tragic figure.

His last years were plagued with a failing memory, age and infirmities, but with all he was not alarmed by his approaching end. He looked forward to exploring "the mysteries of the dead."

His fondest hope was never realized—a five or six-stanza poem "which would disperse the armies of the world."

"If I could have one wish fulfilled," he remarked recently, "it would be for a poem that would expose the mockery, the futility, the sterility of war in such a way as to warn every man who loves the world and humanity to watch vigilantly against war."

Markham was born in Oregon City, Ore.

One son, Virgil Markham, of New York City, survives.

## Finns Fight—

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Berlin accompanied Svinhufvud to the German foreign office.  
With Sweden enforcing a strict censorship on reports of peace negotiations, highlights of the day's developments included:  
The Stockholm newspaper Aftonbladet cited Finnish Foreign Minister Vaino Tanner as authority for word that Finland "has been in contact with a go-between for the Soviet union and this contact has not been broken."

**Up To Field Marshal**  
The Oslo newspaper Tidens Tegn said Finland had laid the final decision of peace or continued war in the hands of Field Marshal Mannerheim, a decision largely dependent on what prospects he sees of outside help to carry on the conflict.

There were reports that Soviet leaders had made a definite statement of terms to Finland—including surrender of the Karelian isthmus, the embattled city of Viipuri, Lake Ladoga, the port and peninsula of Hanko, in southwestern Finland, and part of the Petsamo region in the far north.

Such terms would exceed the demands made before the outbreak of the war—and Finns indicated rejection would be certain.

The United States was drawn into the orbit of the discussions in London, where Russia was seen as reluctant to accept any Scandinavian country as mediator.

Sweden has a more-than-ordinary interest in the conflict because she borders on Finland and any Soviet conquests of her neighbor might involve Sweden herself in serious difficulties.

## Scouting Flights

In the British-French-German war the British air ministry announced that scouting flights during the night had extended across Germany to German-occupied western Poland for the first time.

The ministry announced that a German bomber was shot down today off north Scotland.

Germany claimed fresh successes for her air-raiders operating along the British east coast, asserting 11 merchantmen were sunk or severely damaged last night and the night before. British spokesmen declined comment.

The British treasury provided a blank check for £700,000,000 about \$2,800,000,000 to cover war expenses in the fiscal year ending March 31, 1941.

Summer Welles, United States undersecretary of state, in the second day of his fact-finding talks in Paris conferred with government leaders.

In the war at sea the French reported the 5,846-ton German ship Uruguay had been scuttled on being overtaken while on land there were sharp but local fights on the western front.

The Japanese army's south China headquarters announced the complete occupation of the Chungshan area, 50 miles south of Canton, by an expedition that drove inland from the Pearl river delta three days ago.

## Treasure Hunt—

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perished. Merchants participating have been listed as follows:

J. C. Penney Company, Inc., Manhattan Cafe, Fanelli Bros., Rowland's Pharmacy, Buck's Book Shop, Campbell's White Crochet Store, Sterling's Pharmacy, Cledor Candy Company, Crystal Barber Shop, United Cigar Store, J. L. Glassburn, Mrs. Helen Shickley, The Gift & Art Shop, Edna N. Tatters, Nixon Dress & Beauty Salon, Boynton-Richards Co., Erizinger's Shoe Store, F. W. Woolworth Co., Ideal Cafe.

Edward's Book Store, Spurlock's Mercantile Co., Sullivan's Drug Store, Eichler Bros., Inc., Bowman Bros., Ford & Hopkins Drug Co., E. L. Covert, J. J. Newberry Co., Valle & O'Malley, Isador Eichler, Candy Box, Bales & Wilhelm, Anthony Bevilacqua, Richard Lusk, Market, Dixie Frocks, Nu-Style Millinery, Kline's Dept. Store, C. C. Hintz, Chester Barriage.

Prescott's Sporting Goods Store, Putters Cleaners, Harold Cook's Flower Shop, Kennedy's Music Store, Montgomery Ward & Co., Dixon Grocery & Market, The Market Basket, Slothower Hardware Co., Dixon Paint & Wallpaper Co., Western Tire & Auto Co., California Market, Royal Blue Grocery, Jensen Paint Store, DeLuxe Cleaners, Ray Miller Music Store, Vogue Dress Shop, Snow White Bakery, Mellett Furniture Co., Ted's Tavern.

Doug's Three Deuces, Henry Briscoe, Hall's Radio Shop, Scott Stores, Inc., Wm. Cahill Electric Shop, Ware's Hardware Co., National Tea Company, Shinner's Market, Fred Overstreet, Wm. E. Toyn, Vandenberg Paint Co., H. Van Grill, A. L. Geisenheimer Co., Kathryn Beard Shop, Dixon Hatchery, A. & P. Super Market, Kreim's Furniture Store, Plovman's Busv Store, H. V. Massey Hardware Store.

## HAD INTENDED MURDER

Springfield, Ill.—(AP)—Coroner W. L. Dragoos said today that Walter Hanson, found shot to death in his home last night, left notes indicating he intended to kill his estranged wife, Stella, and daughter, Jean. Dragoos said Hanson shot himself when Mrs. Hanson summoned police and locked herself and daughter in a bathroom when threatened by her husband.

Reaction tests by means of lights and buzzers are given to civil service applicants for jobs in Seattle's municipal government.

## State Asks Insurance Companies to Find Way to Take Care of Negroes

Springfield, Ill., March 8.—(AP)—Director Ernest Palmer of the insurance department expressed concern today over the refusal of automobile insurance companies to write liability insurance for Negroes. He asked the underwriters to consider "some medium of relief."

Palmer made public a letter to all companies writing automobile public liability and property damage insurance in Illinois, suggesting that they voluntarily "create some pooling arrangement for taking care of this automobile business which no single company appearing is willing to write."

"This department," the letter said, "is deeply concerned because of the number of complaints received from Illinois citizens, the majority of which are from people of the colored race, to the effect that they are unable to obtain automobile liability insurance. This condition has become increasingly serious since passage of the drivers license and financial responsibility laws and the new truck act at recent sessions of our legislature."

## Senate Finance—

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which tariff concessions would be extended not only to the nation signing the agreement but to all others not discriminating against American exports.

This is one of two key issues immediately before congress. The other is whether to add a quarter-billion dollars to farm funds.

The finance committee rejected six amendments, many of which some senators said would have "scuttled" the program. Chief of these was one by Senator Pittman (D-Nev.) to require Senate ratification of all future agreements. Chairman Harrison (D-Miss.) said the vote was 11 to 9 against this proposal.

Vying for congressional attention with action on this major recommendation of President Roosevelt was a rising clamor for a big increase in the farm payments he proposed.

## Seek More Farm Funds

The house trimmed the president's budget estimates for the agriculture department from \$788,929,519 to \$713,896,084. But farm state senators talked of a billion-dollar bill through additions of from \$200,000,000 to \$300,000,000.

The appropriations subcommittee in charge of the annual agricultural supply bill scheduled final action on this economy vs. spending milestone today, with sentiment apparently in favor of the increase.

Administration leaders agreed that, if the subcommittee and the nite full appropriations committee whip the farm bill into shape during the week end, they would lay aside the trade agreements legislation in the senate Monday to consider it.

## May Vote on Hatch Bill

This understanding was reached on the assumption that the senate would vote today on legislation to extend to state employees, paid in whole or part with federal funds, the prohibitions against certain political activities placed on federal workers by the Hatch act.

Senator Hatch (D-NM), author of the legislation, said he had heard reports that an attempt might be made to delay action on his bill until it could be shunted aside next week.

"Unless there is a filibuster, I think we will pass this soon," he told reporters, adding an opinion that opponents had "exhausted their strength" in previous unsuccessful efforts to amend the bill.

By a vote of 42 to 35 yesterday, and 44 to 41 Wednesday, the senate refused to abolish the ban on political activity by government workers.

## Martial Law Near for Most of Netherlands

The Hague, March 8.—(AP)—A royal decree extending martial law to the "greater part of the Netherlands" is in preparation, it was announced today.

The minister of defense, Lieut. Col. A. Q. H. Dijkhoorn, made the announcement in the upper chamber in answer to questions as to what steps the government was taking in view of the "dangers of espionage."

"If necessary the government will not hesitate to proclaim martial law for the entire country," the minister declared. He did not indicate when the royal decree would become effective.

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## Cables Seen as—

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the Queen Elizabeth steamed into port said it had been a "very nice trip—lovely."

John Barlow, assistant marine superintendent of the Cunard Lines in New York, one of the three persons permitted to board the Queen Elizabeth at Quarantine, said that the liner brought only a skeleton crew of between 300 and 400 men and that it was "very nearly finished."

Some of the furnishings, he said, remained to be installed, but the panelwork was completed and the ship's elevators were operating.

Although apparently without guns, the Queen Elizabeth mounted two "pillbox" housings, about five feet high, which may have been used as observation posts to keep a watch against submarines.

A United States naval intelligence officer who went down the bay on a government cutter to meet the Queen Elizabeth was among those refused permission to board.

Harold Borer, Cunard general passenger manager, and a single customs officer were the only men allowed to go on besides Barlow. Naval experts explained the new protective device against magnetic mines as follows:

The cables, although high above the water, were designed to exert an electrical force which would nullify the attraction of the steel hull to the mines, so that they would not explode.

## DETAILS SECRET

London, March 8.—(AP)—After three months of intensive work, British scientists believe they have developed the answer to Germany's magnetic mines—an electric grid for ships designed to destroy the effectiveness of the under-water terrors.

The world received its first inkling of the device when the liner Queen Elizabeth arrived yesterday in New York wearing one of the belts, but the details of how the invention works were closely guarded.

The visible part of the apparatus consists of an electrically energized wire encircling the upper deck of the ship. In effect, the ship is rendered non-magnetic, thereby neutralizing the trigger action of the mines, which are discharged by the magnetic field of passing steel-hulled vessels.

The apparatus has been installed on hundreds of ships, ranging from yachts to mighty battleships, and the Admiralty intends to equip every British vessel.

The principle involved was developed by naval technicians, and the navy calls the device "De-gauss equipment". The gauss is a unit used to measure the intensity of a magnetic field.

Naval men said the equipment could be installed on an ordinary vessel in about four days, though a fortnight is required in the case of a ship such as the Queen Elizabeth.

## Clubs

Toastmasters — Homer Millard was the principal speaker at the weekly meeting of the Dixon Toastmaster's club last evening at the Nachusa Hotel. Other speakers were: John Mills, C. A. Castle, Dr. A. M. McNicol, Rev. Biewfield, C. A. Mellett and P. W. Bushy. The critics for the evening's program were Dr. J. L. Tavenner and D. Wood.

Motor vehicles forged ahead of horse-drawn rigs in point of factory production for the first time in 1916.

**CORRECTION**  
Of Error in Thursday's Ad Item Should Have Read

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## Poet's Corner

Mrs. E. Grace Connor, one time resident of this community, is now a resident of Los Angeles, California. She has published a volume of poetry and given us permission to use the following poem in our columns. Mrs. Connor is a native of Whiteside county, Ill., for years she taught school in Dakota territory, she graduated from the Dixon Normal school, and her late husband and his parents belonged to the pioneers of Albion, Indiana. Mrs. Connor's present address is 677 East 51st street, Los Angeles.

## Faith, Hope and Love

Of my dear native land,  
Come listen to my pleading  
And for God take your stand.  
For God He is our maker,  
He made the hills and vales,  
The placid lakes and rivers,  
He causes winds and gales  
That blow off o'er the ocean.  
O'er mountain, cliff and dale,  
And bring the snow and raindrops  
That moisture may prevail.

He hovers ever o'er us  
With an all-seeing eye,  
He guides us and protects us,  
He'll lead us till we die.  
Much prophecy has been fulfilled,  
His Word shall e'er endure,  
He'll rule in justice and in truth,  
His judgment it is sure.

He'll judge the world in righteousness,  
With wisdom judge the earth,  
All men shall know His glory,  
Each nation, home and hearth;  
The Lord shall reign forever,  
All men shall know His voice;  
Be glad, ye multitude of isles,  
Let all the earth rejoice.

O, people of my country,  
Of my dear native land,  
Come listen to my pleading  
And for God take your stand.

Philadelphia, March 8.—(AP)—Frank Glassman swelled with pride when a woman patted him on the chest and remarked:

"Gee, you have a nice big chest!"

But Glassman's inflated ego disappeared along with the woman. He informed police she took \$4 from his pocket.

## UNEXPECTED RESULTS

Kane, Ill., March 8.—(AP)—A tornado that struck near here had its advantages for two Kane families.

Each picked up a wild duck in their yards after the storm and had roast for dinner.

## BIRTHS

CHENEY — Born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cheney, Jr., at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital Thursday, a son.

JOHNSTON: Mr. and Mrs. Terrence Johnston are the parents of a son, Leo Forrest, born yesterday at the Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital.

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## Town Topics

The Blackhawk Grange will meet tonight at the Grange hall with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mumma, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Felker and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Garman entertaining. The program will include selections by the kitchen band, roll call and a contest.

Funeral services were held this afternoon at the Trinity Lutheran church for Miss Nina Rice, 89, who died Wednesday at the Goss-Hamlin home in Rockford. Dr. C. H. Hightower officiated and burial was at Oakwood. Nina Rice was the daughter of John and Eliza Kendall Rice and was born in Leaf River township in 1855. The late John Rice was a brother. She was the last of a family of five children. She is survived by four nephews, Ed Myers of Iowa, John Myers, Polo, Schuyler Myers of Rockford and Ernest Hightower of Rockford, and a great niece, Mrs. Edna Sharp of Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Dierdorf, Mr. and Mrs. John Buck and Mrs. Dale Lizer attended the funeral in Franklin Grove Thursday afternoon of an aunt, Mrs. Dan Dierdorf, who was brought to Franklin Grove from the state of Washington for burial.

Mrs. Virgil Dierdorf and Mrs. E. R. Henricks drove to North Manchester, Ind., Monday to return the former's daughter Mildred and two college friends to the North Manchester college. Tuesday Mrs. Dierdorf and Mrs. Hendricks were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Neher and called on other college friends, returning home Wednesday.

The Mt. Morris Parent-Teacher association will meet Monday evening, March 11 in the assembly room of the Community high school at 7:30 P. M. Following the theme of the year, "Controlling Influences in the Lives of Mt. Morris Children," the evening will be given to a consideration of the influence of motion pictures on children. Paul Yoe, science teacher of the high school, is in charge of the program and will show a talking motion picture which deals directly with this subject. Mr. Yoe will also make a few remarks on the psychological effect of motion pictures. Some of the band instrument ensemble contest groups, including the grade school brass sextette and a cornet trio, will provide the music of the program.

Everyone interested in the welfare of school children is cordially invited to be present.

R. G. Shultz, president of Carthage college, Carthage, Ill., called on Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Hightower, Wednesday.

## Church Notes

**Trinity Lutheran**  
Program of services beginning Sunday, March 10, 1940. (5th Sunday in Lent):  
10:00 A. M. Sunday, the service and sermons.  
11:15 A. M. Sunday, the church school.  
2:00 P. M. Sunday, instruction classes.  
7:00 P. M. Sunday, Lenten vespers.  
7:30 P. M. Tuesday, Workers' conference.  
6:30 P. M. Wednesday, Congregational Night.  
7:00 P. M. Thursday, choir practice.  
8:00 P. M. Thursday, community choir practice.  
2:00 P. M. Thursday, Missionary society.  
7:00 P. M. Thursday, community Lenten service.  
At the Lenten vespers Sunday the pastor will preach on "The Descent of the Dove." You will find a hearty welcome to this as well as to all other services in this

## RED RYDER



## Strangers Unwelcome

## By FRED HARMAN

## SUBLETTE

By Mrs. Raymond Dinges  
CHURCH NOTES  
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church

Rev. Joseph J. Wittecamp, pastor.  
Masses Sunday, March 10—8:00 a. m., high mass; 10:00 a. m., low mass.

On this Sunday the men and boys of the Holy Name Society will receive communion in a body. Lenten devotions:  
Sunday afternoon, March 10, 2:00 o'clock.

Wednesday evening, March 13, 7:30 o'clock.

Beginning Sunday, March 10, a novena in honor of St. Joseph will be celebrated. Prayers will be recited each morning following the mass except on Sunday and Wednesday, when they will be said following Lenten devotions.

## Union Church News

Rev. Pearl Davis, pastor.  
9:30 a. m., Sunday school. Lesson, "Gethsemane: Triumph Through Surrender."

10:30 a. m., morning worship. Sermon theme, "Sins of the World."

On Saturday, March 9th, the women's Sunday school class will meet at the home of Mrs. George Henrich. It is an all-day meeting. Come prepared to sew, and bring a covered hot dish.

## Former Resident Is Called

Mrs. Henry Michel, a former resident of Sublette, passed away on Monday evening, March 4, at St. Joseph's Home in Freeport where she has been making her home since October 4, 1939. On

Asp, piano; Claremont Michael, bass clarinet; Ronald Lizer, saxophone; Dorothy Jacobs, saxophone; Arnold Blocker, drum; Dick Frey, drum; Ralph Hudson, violin.

Local vocal soloists are: Bette Ransome, soprano and Robert Kump, bass.

Local students will take part in the following groups:

Vocal mixed ensemble and girls' ensemble.

Instrumental ensembles, brass sextette, cornet trio, clarinet quartet.

Judges for instrumental contest: U. K. Reese, band director; Elgin; Paul Yoder, director and arranger; Chicago; F. E. Mortiboy, band director, Davenport, Iowa; Mr. Lundholm, piano judge, Augustana college, Moline.

Judges for vocal contest: Mildred Hult, Augustana college; Madame Scott, Francis Shimer school, Mt. Carroll; Ivan Kortcamp, Fairbury high school, Fairbury.

On Saturday, March 30 the Mt. Morris high school band will sponsor the district group vocal and band concert, with a band concert in the evening.

Wednesday, March 6, she would have reached the age of 82 years. Infirmities of old age was given as the cause of her demise.

The deceased, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Goetzinger, was born in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. In the year 1909 she was married to Henry Michel who preceded her in death March 14, 1939.

The following stepsons and daughters survive: Jacob Michel of West Brooklyn; Norbert Michel of Mendota; Mrs. Louise Theiss of Sublette; Mrs. Mayne Hoerner of West Brooklyn; Mrs. Marguerite Herbert of Mendota; Adeline Herbert of Mendota. Several nieces and nephews besides a host of friends also survive.

Mrs. Michel was for many years a faithful member of Our Lady of Perpetual Help church. For the past thirty years she had been a member of the St. Anne Society of this church and just within the last few months she was presented with a sterling silver rosary from this organization in recognition of her faithfulness and service to the society.

Funeral services were held Thursday morning at 9:30 from Our Lady of Perpetual Help church with burial in St. Mary's cemetery.

## Shuffle Club Postponed

The regular meeting of the Shuffle club which was to have been held on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Ellice Dinges has been postponed until next week.

## Stork News

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Henkel are the parents of a son born Sunday at the Angear hospital.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Billings are the parents of a son born Monday.

## Modern Matrons Meet

The Modern Matrons held their regular meeting on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Lucille Ellsworth.

The president, Mrs. Christine Dinges, presided over the business meeting during which further plans were made and discussed for the Rainbow Bubble ball to be given by the group in the near future. The remainder of the evening was spent socially. At the close of the evening a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

The club will meet in two weeks at the home of Miss Marian Chaon.

## Sublette Woman's Club

The Sublette Woman's club held its regular meeting on Thursday afternoon, February 29th, at the Sublette Union church parlors.

The business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. George Thier.

The program "Parliamentary Procedure" was in charge of Mrs. J. A. Long, a member of the Amboy Woman's club. Mrs. Long had prepared a set of questions

and answers, and was assisted by five members of the Sublette club. This was very interesting as discussion followed.

The program was concluded with the singing of several songs. Refreshments were served from a beautifully decorated table. The house committee was in charge. Mrs. Carl Rhoda poured, assisted by Miss Anna Erbes.

Mrs. O. C. Holt, president of the Amboy Woman's club, Mrs. George Scheneman of the Lutheran Ladies Aid Society were guests.

The next meeting will be held at the Union church parlors on Thursday afternoon, March 14. Wear something green as the program will be in keeping with St. Patrick's day.

## Briefs

Herbert Barton visited over the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Barton.

Mrs. Anna Stephentich spent several days this week visiting friends and relatives in Davenport, Iowa.

Theo. Kreiter and Mrs. Ditach of Binghamton were callers at the home of Mrs. John Stiltz on Wednesday.

Miss Clara Leffelman and Miss Francis Roginski spent the week end with Mrs. Kate Leffelman.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dinges accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Webb Setchell of Mendota to Sterling on Sunday where Mr. and Mrs. Dinges were sponsors at the baptism of James Richard, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bankes of Sterling.

Miss Arlene Pierce of Paw Paw is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Politach.

Don't forget to attend the Rainbow Bubble ball to be given on Wednesday evening, March 27th by the Modern Matrons club. Music will be furnished by Frankie Pyzner's orchestra. This is a benefit dance for the new Community hall and will be held in the new hall.

## S MARK VALID

Vandalia, Ill. —(AP)—Circuit Judge J. T. Bullington yesterday ruled the \$ mark was as good as "dollars" spelled out in an indictment charging George Ray of Centralia, superintendent of the state penal farm, with theft of a \$35 cream separator. He held valid two of four counts and set trial for March 20. The defense argued dollars should have been written out.

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## Ogle-DeKalb Firemen Meet

The Ogle-DeKalb County Firemen's Association met at Sycamore Thursday evening.

The meeting was called to order at eight o'clock by President John Maxson. Several of the local firemen were present with the representatives of the fourteen towns of Ogle and DeKalb counties who comprise the membership.

The speaker of the evening was Engineer A. H. Gent of the Illinois State Department of Inspection.

## Exposition Here, March 13

An exhibition, including home appliances, automobiles, and farm machinery will take place here March 15 and 16, in the Sherlock building on Lincoln avenue. The exhibition is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and is under the direction of Secretary Neve, assisted by a committee composed of John Manning, W. F. Eber, Gene Bain, LaVern Mutton, Hector Caron and C. A. Anderson. Additional information will be available next week.

## High School Concert, March 10

Willard Gieske will present his forty-five piece high school band at the school Sunday afternoon, March 10, at four o'clock. Accompanists will be Elsie Dibble and Anne Ingelson.

"Fortuna," Overture... Zamecnik  
"Little Grey Church"... Bennett  
"Traveller," Overture... Buchtel

## Band

"Romany Caprice," flute solo...  
"Mary Margaret Montgomery" "Rondo" Pleyel, clarinet quartet—  
S. Gustafson, J. Hayes, V. Carmichael, W. Richards.

"Pale Moon," Logan, oboe solo  
"Morning Glory," trombone solo  
"Old Grey Robe," Spiritual;  
"Little Close Harmony," O'Hara, boys' quartet; Tom Loeber, Bob Kepner, John Klewin, Jas. Harris.

"Three Chums," trumpet trio—  
C. Haselton, E. Pierce, R. Motlong.  
"Radiant Youth" Overture

## Walls

"Youth of America" March  
"Headliner" March... Cummings  
Band  
"America," the Beautiful....  
Band and Audience

## Boxing Tournament in March

The Knights of Columbus will sponsor a boxing tournament, to be held the latter part of March for all boys between the ages of 7 and 15, eligible to enter.

Interested boys are asked to register at the Fred Warning meat market. Prizes will be awarded in each division.

## The Harms cafe, located at 406

Lincoln Highway, will open to the public Saturday. New furniture and equipment throughout has been planned with an eye to a tan and green color scheme.

The personnel of the new restaurant includes: Herman Harms, proprietor; Mrs. Eva Billmire and C. L. Banks in charge of the kitchen; Mrs. John Nugent, Mrs. Robert Harms, Mrs. Fay Archer, Mrs. Joe Rhoades, Miss Marion Tilton, Dale, Jerry and Robert Harms and John Tilton.

## Auto Supply Store

The Western Auto Supply company will open its doors on Cherry avenue Saturday under the management of Vincent B. O'Brien, who comes from Hammond, Indiana. As owner of the new store, Mr. O'Brien will carry a line of auto supplies, accessories, tires, radios, tools, bicycles, sporting goods, electrical supplies and appliances, etc.

The O'Brien family will be at home in the Collier apartments after March 15.

## Moving to Rockford

Mr. and Mrs. Don Critchfield and son Bobby will move from the Collier apartments to Rockford, in the near future.

## Thursday Afternoon Fire

A small roof blaze sent the fire department to the home of George Whetson on South Sixth street Thursday. Cause of the blaze was the chimney. Resulting damage, small.

## Phi Beta Kappa

Charles Harris was one of the six Cornell seniors to be named in the Friday chapel service to the highest scholastic honor which the college affords, Phi Beta Kappa. He is a chemistry major. He is a member of the Delta social group.

Elmer Guio will be general chairman of the grab bag party which will be held in the Methodist church parlors, Monday evening, March 11.

El Paso, Texas, is the most isolated big city in the country.

Asia is the only continent which rivals North America in tobacco growing. A million acres, chiefly in India, is devoted to the crop.

## STEWART

Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce are the parents of a baby daughter, born Sunday March 3 at the Lincoln hospital, Rochelle. Mrs. Pierce was a Stewart girl, Miss Florence Daum, daughter of Edward Daum.

Mrs. G. W. Kimball was operated on Feb. 13 at LaPorte, Ind. A major operation, she is getting along as well as can be expected.

Mrs. Mary Cratty of Mt. Morris called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beardsley Monday afternoon.

Howard Gunderson spent Saturday and Sunday in Aurora with his brother Walter.

Miss Ethel Andes, Mrs. Dorothy Stunkel and Donna were in DeKalb Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ewald were supper guests at the home of their son Earl and family Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Babcock and Jerry were in Shabbona and Watertown Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Halsen spent Sunday at the R. A. Thompson home to help celebrate the 35th wedding anniversary of Mr. Halsen's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Bentley of Rockford spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Jess Macklin.

Mrs. Arvid Anderson entertained her bridge club Tuesday afternoon.

Walter Gunderson and sister Dorothy Stunkel spent Wednesday in Chicago and attended the show "Gone With the Wind."

Miss Vera Andes spent the week end at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Jay Ackland near Rochelle.

Mrs. Clarence Trowbridge was a guest at dinner on Saturday at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Halsen.

John Burd and Miss Myra Burd were dinner guests Sunday at the Johnson home in the country.

Miss Ruth Louise Ravanas and brother Martin and Mrs. Dorothy Stunkel were in Rockford Saturday.

Ferry Beitel and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rapp attended a banquet at school gym in Amboy Monday evening.

## UNDER \$12,000 BOND

DuQuoin, Ill.—(AP)—Herbert Van Hoorbeke, 23, former rural school teacher charged with criminally assaulting his pupils, waived preliminary hearing yesterday and was committed to the county jail at Pinckneyville. His bond was set at \$12,000.

## Find New Oil Well

Oilney, Ill.—(AP)—Pure Oil Company officials announced saturation had been recovered at 2847 feet in a wildcat test for oil in Jasper county, nine miles from present production, and said they believed the well could make a "fair" producer. It is the No. 1 Warren Consolidated, seven miles south of Newton.

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13 Molding.

14 Possessed.

16 Hair ornament.

17 Metal string.

18 Apple centers.

20 Hat.

21 Compass point.

22 To share.

24 Southwest.

25 Musical note.

26 Identical.

27 Iniquities.

29 Doctor.

31 Performer.

33 Left-hand page.

35 Plant.

38 Maudlin.

40 Laughter sound.

42 Pleasant.

43 Mother.

44 Being.

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**VERTICAL**

1 Line.

2 An egg capsule.

3 Greater in size.

4 Rubber tree.

5 Behold.

6 Coast.

7 Thoughts.

8 Fool.

9 Sloths.

10 Wandering dancers.

11 Mobs.

12 To bark.

15 Work of skill.

18 Eccentric wheel.

19 Kind of snow shoe.

22 Type of perfection.

23 Letter cover.

25 His — was Mars, god of war.

26 Rail (bird).

28 Withered.

30 He was deified by the —.

32 Toward.

34 Railway.

36 Credit.

37 Pronoun.

38 Soul.

39 Receded.

41 Positive electric terminals.

43 Sailor.

45 Moves fish-fashion.

47 Defaults.

49 State of chill.

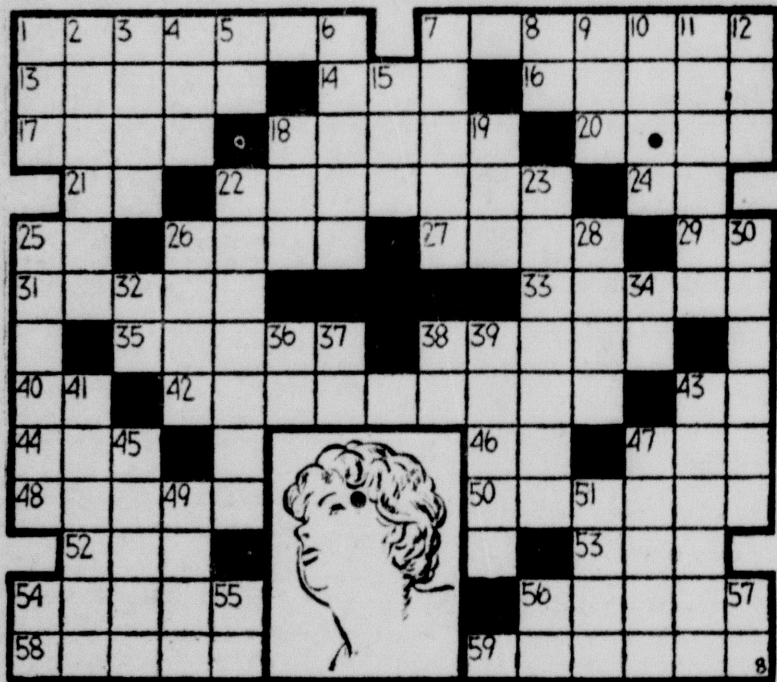
51 Half.

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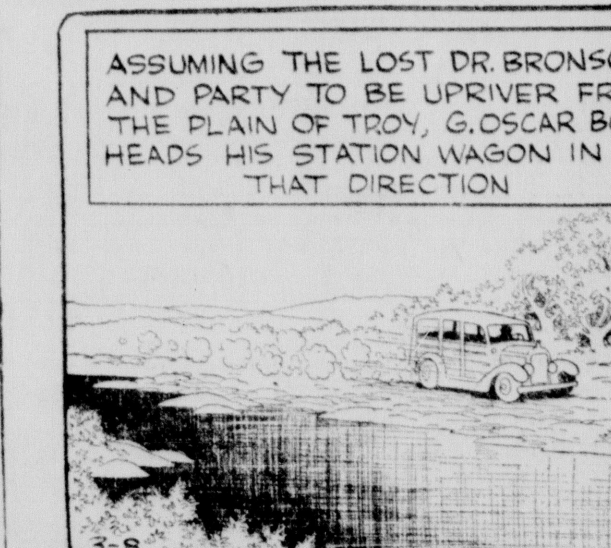
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Notice is hereby given to all persons that Monday, April 1, is the claim date in the estate of Gerald G. Garrison, Deceased, pending in the County Court of Lee County, Illinois, and that claims may be filed against the said estate on or before said date without issuance of summons.  
Daniel Payne, Administrator.  
Gerald Jones, Attorney.  
March 8-15-22

## POLO

Mrs. Maude Reed  
Reporter  
Phone 781.

### Town Topics

Mrs. W. B. Dusing is ill at her home near Polo.

Mrs. Edith Coffman left Tuesday for a visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Coffman at Phoenix, Arizona.

### Would Be Tourist Club

Mrs. Willis Pittenger entertained the Would-Be Tourist Literary club at her home Wednesday afternoon. Seventeen members were present. Mrs. Fannie Miller gave a very interesting paper on "Norway."

### Debate Team

Subject for debates are: "Resolved: That the United States government should own and operate the nation's railroads."  
The Polo high school debate team competed with the Princeton

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6:30 Prof. Quiz—WBBM  
7:00 Frank Black's Orch.—WMAQ  
This Amazing America—WLS  
Kate Smith—WBBM  
Col Stoopnagle—WGN  
7:30 Lone Ranger—WGN  
Buckaroo—WLS  
Four Californians—WIND  
8:00 Plantation Party—WENR  
Valley Tune—WMAQ  
Novena—WCFL  
Johnny Presents—WBBM  
8:30 What Would You Have Done?—WENR  
What's My Name?—WMAQ  
First Nighter—WBBM  
9:00 Lew Jenkins vs Larson—WENR  
President Roosevelt—WMAQ, WBBM, WGN  
Melody Marathon—WLW  
Behind the Headlines—WMAQ  
Believe It or Not Ripley—WBBM  
10:00 Anon n' Andy—WBBM  
Ten O'clock Final—WENR  
Pleasure Time—WMAQ  
10:15 Jack McLean's Orch.—WGN  
Todd Hunter—WBBM  
10:30 Dick Jurgens' Orch.—WGN  
Glenn Miller's Orchestra—WMAQ  
11:00 Guy Lombardo's Orch.—WMAQ  
Nocturne—WOC  
Count Basie's Orch.—WENR

### SATURDAY

Afternoon  
12:00 Blue Streak Rhythm Ensemble—WBBM  
Radio's Voice—WGN  
12:15 Dubuque A Capella Choir—WMAQ  
12:30 Luncheon at the Waldorf—WMAQ  
Time to Take It Easy—WBBM  
12:45 Song Souvenirs—WBBM  
Reviewing Stand—WGN  
Metropolitan Opera—WMAQ  
1:00 Brush Creek Follies—WOC  
Afternoon Musicale—WGN  
1:15 Spotlight—WCFL  
Midday Roundup—WJJD  
1:30 Yar Concert—Orch.—WGN  
Music Styled for You—WCFL  
Baron Elliott's Melodies—WBBM  
2:00 League of Composers Program—WBBM  
Bill McCune's Orchestra—WGN  
2:30 Brissett's Orch.—WCFL  
Carolina Playmakers—WGN  
3:00 Bull Session—WBBM  
Campus Capers—WENR  
3:30 American Legion—WJJD  
Varieties—WENR  
3:45 Rhythm for Tea—WJJD  
Sammy Kay's Orch.—WGN  
4:00 Do You Know—WENR  
The Human Adventure—WBBM  
Sammy Kay's Orch.—WGN  
4:15 Magic Waves—WMAQ  
4:30 Gray Gordon's Orch.—WMAQ  
WMAQ  
Henry King's Orch.—WOC  
5:00 Jerry Lovington's Orch.—WGN  
5:30 Religion in the News—WMAQ  
Renfrew of the Mounted—WENR  
5:45 Southwestern Serenade—WMAQ  
Hit Review—WCFL  
Evening  
6:00 Concert Orch.—WGN  
Message of Israel—WENR  
Todd Hunter—WBBM  
6:15 Heart of Julia Blake—WBBM  
WBBM  
Dad's Family—WCFL  
6:30 Guy Lombardo's Orch.—WMAQ  
Sky Blazers, drama—WBBM  
7:00 Name Three—WGN  
Gang Busters—WBBM  
Arch Oboler's Plays—WMAQ  
Tommy Dorsey's Orch.—WBBM  
7:30 Wayne King's Orch.—WBBM  
Hawaii Calls—WGN  
8:00 Hit Parade—WBBM  
Youth vs Age—WMAQ  
Buck Dance—WLS  
Howard McCreary's Orch.—WGN  
8:30 Death Valley Days—WMAQ  
8:45 Saturday Night Serenade—WBBM  
Jack McLean's Orch.—WGN  
9:00 Life of Floyd Gibbons—WGN  
Bob Crosby's Orch.—WMAQ  
Symphonie Orch.—WCFL

## FORRESTON

Mrs. Fred Deuth  
Reporter

### DIES IN NEBRASKA

Relatives have received word of the death of Mrs. Lee Diehl, 88, on March 1, at the home of her grandson, Leroy Stauffer at Gordon, Neb. She was a sister of Mrs. Margaret E. Fager of Forreston, Mrs. John Fager of Clearwater, Kansas, J. F. Nicodemus and William Nicodemus, both of Chicago. She is also survived by one son and one daughter.

### Attend Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Acker and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ainsworth attended the funeral of George Kendall, a former resident of Forreston, at Freeport Monday.

### New Employee

Miss Margaret Hanson of Rochelle is a new employee in the Mitchell cafe.

### Dixon Guests

Mrs. Floyd Henry and son Larry of Dixon are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Van Lessen.

### W. M. S.

The Ladies' Missionary society of the Forreston Grove Presbyterian church met yesterday at the home of Mrs. John Meiners. Miss Alice Swale was assistant hostess.

### Friendship Club

The Friendship club met yesterday with Mrs. Arthur Stolzman. Decorations and the delicious lunch were in St. Patrick's day decorations. Mrs. Willis Mitchell was awarded high prize, and Mrs. Joseph Maas, Jr., second.

### Bridge Club

Mrs. Lee Beebe was hostess to the Bridge club yesterday afternoon. Mrs. B. G. Wood had high score. Mrs. Harry Anderson, second and the traveling prize was awarded Mrs. Bertha DeGraff. Mrs. George Lentz received guest prize.

### Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ratmeyer observed their ninth wedding anniversary Tuesday. Dinner guests in the evening included Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ratmeyer and daughter Florence, Mr. and Mrs. George Arjes, Ford and Meano Elloser.

### Forreston Briefs

Mr. and Mrs



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## ASHTON

Mrs. Grace E. Linscott  
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### Town Topics

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W. Krug, who visited Wednesday at the home of their daughter, Herman Rettke and husband of Palmyra township.

Wallace Yenerich will be home from his studies at North Central college at Naperville, to spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Yenerich.

Mr. and Mrs. Wes Nicholson of Shabbona were dinner guests on Monday noon at the home of Mrs. Kathryn Merrill.

Miss Mina Krug visited several days this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tarvestadt in Rochelle.

Mrs. William Klingebell and daughter Ina were shoppers in Rockford on Thursday.

Miss Mary Shoemaker, who became ill at her home on Wednesday was taken to Harris Convalescent Home in Rochelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Empey announce the birth of a son on Wednesday, March 6.

Mrs. Dora Putnam, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Sward, Mr. George Aschenbrenner and Mrs. Glen Obourn visited Mrs. George Aschenbrenner on Wednesday evening at the Dixon hospital.

### Magazine Club

Miss Lucy Hart will entertain the members of the Magazine club at her home this evening. The topic for discussion will be "Spring".

### Birth Announcement

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Calhoun are the proud parents of a nine pound daughter, born on Thursday morning, March 7. The little miss will be named Priscilla Joeline.

### Reynolds Missionary Meeting

The members of the Reynolds Woman's Missionary society were entertained at the home of Mrs. Henry Smith on Thursday afternoon, March 7. She was assisted in entertaining by her daughter, Mrs. Walter Voss. The lesson was

given by Mrs. Henry Smith; Current Events, by Mrs. Luella Kerten and the scripture reading by Anna Ewald. The hostesses served a delicious lunch at the conclusion of the program.

### Townsend Meeting

There will be a Townsend meeting in the Woodman hall, March 12, at 7:30 o'clock. Entertainment will be furnished after the meeting. Everyone is welcome.

### Junior Drill Team

On Saturday evening, at the Lee county grade school tournament, at the Mills and Petrie Memorial gym, Ashton's famous all-girl drum and bugle corps and the junior drill team will parade in formation for the entertainment of the spectators.

### Ashton Girl Scouts

There were 12 high school girls and 13 grade school girls present at the Ashton Girl Scout troop on Tuesday afternoon at Mills and Petrie Memorial gym.

The troop will be divided into two divisions. The high school division will meet every two weeks in the Scout room. The leader of the high school No. 1 will be Mary Rosecrans, assisted by Wilma Romick. Leader of patrol No. 2 will be Eloise Mear, assisted by Mary Wagner. Lois Landis was elected secretary and Marjorie Linscott as treasurer of the high school division.

The meeting for the grade school division will be held every two weeks on Tuesday afternoon in the Scout room. Bette Jane Houston was chosen as leader of patrol No. 1 with Shirley Houston as assistant. Esther Clover will have charge of patrol No. 2 with Miriam Linscott as assistant. Bette Joe Thompson was elected secretary and Bernice Weishaar as treasurer of the grade school division.

Mrs. Amel Nankival is the Girl Scout leader and is assisted by Miss Alice Huber.

### Interesting Program

Vocal, instrumental, and group contestants, who will represent Ashton in the district music at Morrison on March 9 and 23 will present a program Sunday evening in the Evangelical church beginning at 7 o'clock.

## WALNUT

Dorothy Mae Waring  
Reporter  
Telephone L291

### CHURCH NOTES

#### Christian Church

Minister, Dewey C. Kooy.  
Morning worship 10 a. m., "The Christian Obligation." Special song by choir, "Lead Me Gently Home."

Sunday school 11 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor 6:45 p. m.  
Evening services 7:30 p. m.  
Guest speaker, C. W. Baughman of Henry Christian church. Ladies' quartet, male quartet, cornetist and trombone soloists.

Thursday, March 14, choir practice at church.

Pre-Easter evangelistic services beginning March 17. Miss Gertrude Kooy will be the musician.

#### Methodist Church

Minister, W. T. Street.  
10 a. m., Sunday school.  
11 a. m., morning worship. Theme, "The Forgiveness of Sin."

Junior High Epworth League, 6:30. Having Easter party.  
Tuesday, March 12, Dr. R. M. Pierce, district superintendent of Joliet-Dixon district will hold quarterly conference at 8:00 p. m.  
Wednesday, March 13, Lenten devotional services, 7:30 to 8:30 p. m.

#### Loyal Workers Class

The Loyal Workers class of the Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Clara Waterhouse with Mrs. George Waterhouse.

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## GOP Must Offer Way Out for U. S. A. Says Green

Mt. Zion, Ill., March 7.—"Unless the Republican party can offer a solution to the problems which have resulted from the New Deal, we cannot expect the people to restore us to office", Dwight H. Green, candidate for the Republican nomination for governor, told a meeting here today as he started an intensive round of visits in Macon county.

"The new deal has spent seven fruitless years with unlimited power and funds. Unemployment is as much a problem today as when the new deal began. Farm prices are at low ebb. The new deal, with its perpetual state of emergency, does not know the answer to any of these problems."

"The Republican party must offer its constructive solution. The basic theory of the Republican program is that government belongs to the people, that final authority must rest in the home communities, and that the hand of government should bear as lightly as possible upon our citizens", according to Green.

"First and foremost of our tasks is the restoration of our nine million unemployed to work. They must find these jobs in private industry, not on a government payroll whether it be classified as relief, WPA, CCC or in the treasury department. Until they do find that job, government must provide a living for them as close to American standards as funds permit. As Republicans, we promise that, by eliminating the waste and inefficiency in present organizations, we can give more actual relief to the people without spending more money."

"By reducing the huge spending program of government, by giving new confidence to business and industry, by taking punitive taxes and nuisance taxes off the backs of businessmen, we shall encourage business to re-employ men and to expand plant facilities. With men at work and taxes reduced, agriculture will find a new demand for its products. Once farm income is improved, our country will be started toward prosperity. The problems of maintaining that prosperity and the relationships between employer and employee can be solved."

Mrs. Charles Iwig and Mrs. Jo Quilter as assistant hostesses. There were twenty members and three guests present. Guests were Mrs. Rosa Meisenheimer, Mrs. Tom Sergeant, Rev. Street. Devotional services were conducted by Miss Ester Carlan. Business meeting was in charge of the president, Josephine Meisner. Program was in charge of Mrs. Dorothy Mau. Program was in the form of radio program, questions and answers. The April meeting will be at the home of Miss Ida Murdock.

### Social Circle Club

The Social Circle club met at the home of Mrs. Lelia Ganschow with Mrs. Helen Ganschow assistant hostess. Roll call was answered by paying the dues for the year. Business meeting was in charge of the president, Mae Uts. Mrs. LeRoy Johnson and Mrs. Oran Johnson had charge of the games. Mrs. Lillian Johnson received high score prize. Guests were Mrs. Carol Johnson and daughter Medora, Mrs. Will Ganschow and Mrs. June Schoaf. The April meeting will be with Mrs. Wm. Hasenager. A delicious lunch was served.

### Bridge Club

Mrs. Vernon Hoffman was hostess to her bridge club on Wednesday afternoon with three tables at play. One guest, Mrs. Ormand Gerbitz, was present. High score prize was awarded to Dorothy Peach, low to Nina Gerbitz. Will meet in two weeks with Mrs. Lavon Kaston. A delicious lunch was served.

## OREGON

Mrs. A. Tilton  
Reporter  
Phone 189L  
If you miss your paper, call Robert Bacon, 313

Carol Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Olson, celebrated her ninth birthday Tuesday with a party for a group of young friends.

Honors Husband's Birthday  
Mrs. Frank Kerr entertained a party of friends Saturday evening in celebration of the birthday anniversary of her husband.

Attends Funeral  
Among those from out-of-town who attended funeral services on Sunday for William Elyne were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jehle, Noel Cates and Harry Wade of Chicago, Miss Constance Van Inwegen, of Glencoe, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wadsworth of Moline, Mr. and Mrs. William Forrest of Batavia, Robert Gantz and Richard Smith of Purdue University and Mr. and Mrs. John Tourtellott of Champaign.

### Sister Dies

Charles Dugdale received a message Wednesday night informing him of the death of his sister, Mrs. Mabel Smith, which occurred in Venice, Calif., while she was undergoing an operation for brain cancer.

Mrs. Smith was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Dugdale and was born and raised near Chana. Besides her family in California and the brother, Charles of Oregon, she is survived by a sister, Mrs. Madge Deuther of White Rock and another brother, Clarence Dugdale of Chana.

### Opening Bowling Alley

William Prather of Henry, Ill., has leased the building on South Fourth street, formerly occupied by the postoffice and is installing three bowling alleys which will be open for business Friday night.

### Anniversary Reception

William Mensen engaged in the confectionery business in Oregon for nineteen years will hold open house and an anniversary reception at his store Saturday. The place has been re-decorated. There will be free ice cream cones for the children from 1 to 2 o'clock. From 2 to 4 o'clock there will be flowers for the ladies, smokes and drinks for the men. Also a special showing of Easter candies and novelties.

### Personals

Fred Allen of Casey, Ill., was a guest of Oregon friends over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Otto of Los Angeles, Calif., were guests Monday and Tuesday of Mrs. J. J. Farrell and Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Zeigler.

Judge and Mrs. Leon A. Zick entertained guests Sunday, Mrs. Mary Zick and Mrs. Ann Kennedy of Polo and Mrs. Kenneth Guthrie of Pekin.

Mrs. Ida Humbert who has been spending the winter with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Giebrich, has gone to Mt. Prospect to visit another daughter, Mrs. L. F. Hollenback and family.

Mrs. L. R. Crawford went to Champaign Wednesday to visit her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. John Tourtellott.

James Snyder returned to Chicago Sunday and Miss Elizabeth Snyder returned Wednesday to Cornell college, Mt. Vernon, Ia., after being called home by the illness terminating in the death of their father, G. T. Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jorgensen are visited this week by the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jorgensen, of Sabula, Ia.

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## Child Diseases Prove Less Fatal Report Declares

Chicago, March 8.—(AP)—The University of Illinois child population increased 13 per cent between 1910 and 1938, the number of deaths from the eight deadliest children's diseases decreased 90 per cent—a saving of 21,090 lives.

The latest year for which death statistics have been tabulated was 1938. Deaths of children under 10 totaled 2,232 from the eight leading causes. If the 1910 rate prevailed, 23,322 would have died.

The eight diseases are diarrhea, pneumonia, diphtheria, tuberculosis, scarlet fever, whooping cough, measles and meningitis. In 1910 they killed 20,639 children.

Dr. George E. Wakerlin, University college of medicine professor, credited the improvement to application of knowledge gained by prolonged and painstaking research and experimentation in laboratories, clinics and hospitals.

"Not only are infants and children today less subject to disease," Dr. Wakerlin said, "but their growth and development are definitely better than at the beginning of the century. A large part of this gain is due to experimental work involving humane use of animals."

### Progress Summarized

The physician summarized the major medical progress in the diagnosis and treatment of the maladies as follows:

Infantile Diarrhea—Better understanding of hygiene and the physiology of the digestive tract, plus modern diagnostic methods. Pneumonia—More prompt and adequate attention to colds, coughs and other respiratory infections which precede pneumonia, widespread use of oxygen, anti-serums and sulfapyridine, the new drug.

Diphtheria—Injections of diphtheria toxoid provide almost complete protection and the Schick test determines susceptibility. Tuberculosis—Effective prevention and treatment, including elimination of tuberculous cattle and surgical techniques.

Scarlet fever—The Dick test determines susceptibility and antitoxin helps prevent and treat severe cases. Sulfanilamide has proved valuable.

Whooping cough—Vaccine injections will immunize the child or cause the disease to assume a mild form.

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## Virginia's Sunbonnet Lady is 92 Years Old

Virginia, Ill., March 8.—(AP)—Mrs. Anna E. Ruby is 92 years old, but she said she is not yet ready to retire from business.

Her business? Mrs. Ruby is the sunbonnet lady to thousands of central Illinois residents. During the past eighteen months, she has made more than 300 bonnets of varied patterns.

Her customers furnish the materials and tell her what sort of a sunbonnet they want, and Mrs. Ruby gets to work with scissors, needle and thread. She is a widow and lives alone in her home, performing such daily chores as carrying water from the well and coal from the shed.

Mrs. Ruby's charges are reasonable—so reasonable that her industry does not afford her complete support. She receives a small supplemental income from the state old age assistance division.

The elderly woman, however, rejected offers of funds for doctors' bills and medicine.

"In my 92 years I have never been ill or had a doctor," she declared. "Maybe sunbonnets have kept me independent, happy and well."

## It's Not Conspiracy When Only Two Gamble

Springfield, Ill., March 8.—(AP)—An Appellate court decision has held that two persons cannot be guilty of "conspiracy"

to violate the law if they gamble with each other and no third person is involved in the wagering.

The decision was one in which the Third District Appellate court upheld the Pike county Circuit court in quashing conspiracy indictments against Russell Purcell and Carl Siegle.

The conspiracy indictment resulted from charges that Purcell and Siegle had played cards for money.

"The agreement charged in the indictment", the Appellate ruling said, "is limited to the two defendants charged with the substantive offense. There was no participation by a third person, and neither of these parties could have committed the substantive offense alone and without the concerted action of the other."

### MOTERING HONEYMOON

Las Vegas, Nev., March 8.—(AP)—A month-long motoring honeymoon is under way for Oliver Hardy, 48, rollypoly film comedian, and the former Virginia Lucille Jones, 26, of Beverly Hills, Calif., script-girl on the most recent Laurel-and-Hardy picture.

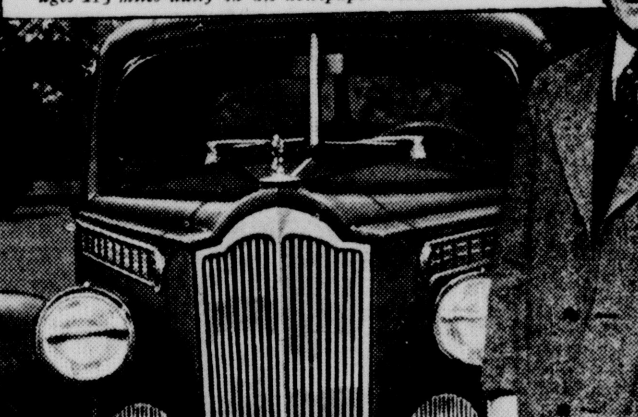
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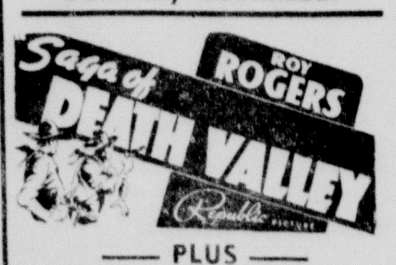
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